The Bombay Gazette

No. 10,885—New Series. BOMBAY:—TUESDAY, OCTOBER 16, 1883.

SHIPPING.

PENINSULAR AND ORIENTAL COMPANY.

QUARANTINE AT EGYPTIAN AND CONTINENTAL PORTS.

ARRANGEMENTS have been made for PASSING the Company's steamers THROUGH THE SUEZ CANAL in QUARANTINE, thus avoiding any detention in Egypt.

The HOMEWARD MAILS are now being landed at VENICE, but the Quarantine, which is still imposed at this and all other Continental Ports, PREVENTS the landing of PASSENGERS, and the QUICKEST route by which they can reach England is to proceed to PLYMOUTH DIRECT.

The passages of the steamers will continue to be accelerated as much as possible. The last four steamers have made the voyage from Bombay to Plymouth in 24 days. Until the Continental route is again open, passengers taking three-monthly Return Tickets will be allowed an extension of a fortnight, if required.

F. D. PARKER,
Superintendent.

Bombay, 9th August, 1883.

PENINSULAR AND ORIENTAL COMPANY.

STEAM to ADEN, SUEZ, PORT SAID, MALTA, GIBRALTAR, PLYMOUTH, LONDON, BRINDISI, VENICE, TRIESTE, AND MARSEILLES.

THE following or other Steamers will be despatched as above:—

Vessels.	Tons. H.P.	Captains	1883.
— LOMBARDY ..	2726 500	W. H. Mudie	..19th Oct.
L. ROSETTA	3502 600	G. W. Brady	...26th ,,
— GWALIOR	2723 500	M. de Horne	...2nd Nov.
L. CLYDE.....	4124 750	E. M. Edmond	...9th ,,
— SURAT	3142 530	C. R. Edwards	..16th ,,
L. MIRZAPORE...	3267 500	C. G. Perrins	..23rd ,,
— VENETIA.....	2726 500	A. B. Daniell	..30th ,,

FRIDAY.

A steam-barge will leave the Company's Dockyard, Mazagon, at 3 p.m., on the day of sailing to convey passengers on board.

Passengers are booked to ADEN, SUEZ, PORT SAID, MALTA, GIBRALTAR, PLYMOUTH, LONDON, BRINDISI, VENICE, and TRIESTE, by every Mail, and to MARSEILLES by every alternate Mail.

The steamers marked L proceed direct to London calling at Plymouth. By the others passengers change vessels at Suez.

STEAM TO PENANG, STRAITS, CHINA, JAPAN, KING GEORGE'S SOUND, ADELAIDE, MELBOURNE, AND SYDNEY, CALLING AT COLOMBO.

Vessels.	Tons. H.P.	Captains.	On 1883.
NEPAUL....	3536 600	H. Wyatt	..19th Oct.
KAISAR-I-HIND.	3523 700	E. G. Stead	..2d Nov.
PEKIN.....	3900 600	A. Symons	..16th ,,
HYDASPES....	2831 500	C. Scrivenor	..30th ,,

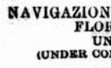
Return Tickets are now issued at greatly reduced rates to all ports, for particulars of which apply to

F. D. PARKER,
Superintendent, P. & O. S. N. Company.

Bombay, September 10, 1883.

NAVIGAZIONE GENERALE ITALIANA FLORIO & RUBATTINO'S UNITED COMPANIES

(UNDER CONTRACT WITH THE ITALIAN GOVERNMENT.)



THE Regular Mail-steamers leave GENOA and BOMBAY on the 24th on the 1st of each month, calling at LEGHORN, NAPLES, MESSINA, CATANIA, PORT SAID, SUEZ, ADEN and *vice versa*.

PASSENGERS' RATES FROM BOMBAY

TO ALL PORTS OF ITALY.		TO MARSEILLES.	
I Class .. £ 50	including	I Class .. £ 50	including
II do..... 340	wines.	II do. 300	wines.
III do..... 150	With food.	III do. 155	With food.

Children under 3 years, free; under 10 years, half fare.

Passengers' heavy Baggage will be delivered in LONDON, FREE OF CHARGE to the extent allowed in the Hand-books.

A discount of 25, 20, and 10 per cent. is allowed to Passengers returning within three, six and twelve months respectively from the date of LANDING.

The following or other first-class Steamers will leave Bombay:—

MANILLA, on Thursday ..... 1st Nov., 1883.
CHINA, on Saturday ..... 1st Dec., 1883.

Passengers and heavy baggage are carried on board, free of charge, by the Company's steam launch, leaving Apollo-bunder between 10 and 11 a.m.

Through Railway Tickets to London, available for 12 days.

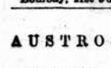
From Genoa.	I Class Calais Route.	£ 25	Brighton Route £ 0
,,	II do.	do.	70 do. ,, 8
Ancona	II do.	do.	145 do. ,, 0
,,	III do.	do.	105 do. ,, 3

For Hand-books of Information, rates of Freight, &c., apply to

F. BOZZONI,
Agent.
Rassoon House, Elphinstone Circle, Bombay.

Bombay, September 7, 1883.

CIE NATIONALE DE NAVIGATION. REGULAR MONTHLY STEAMERS TO MARSEILLES.



THE new first-class steamer CHANDERNAGOR, 2,700 tons register, 450 horse-power, will LEAVE BOMBAY for MARSEILLES direct on the 20th Oct. She carries a Doctor and Stewardess.

RATES OF PASSAGE.

First class to Marseilles, Rs. 300 including wines.
Children under 3 years, free. Under 10, half fare.

The Railway fares from Marseilles to London are as follows:—

Via Calais and Dover (Mail)..... 1st class £ 7 5 0
Via Diepps ..... 1st class ,, 5 15 1

Passengers' heavy luggage will be delivered in London free of charge to the extent allowed by the passage ticket. For further particulars, apply to

RALLI BROTHERS,
Agents.

Bombay, 21st June, 1883.

AUSTRO-HUNGARIAN LLOYD'S S. N. Co.

REGULAR LINE OF STEAMERS
BETWEEN BOMBAY, BRINDISI, AND TRIESTE
VIA CANAL.

Steamers.	Captains.	Tons. H.P.	To sail.
PANDORA.....	G. Slocik.....	3,500 550	28th Oct.
BERENICE.....	P. Crillovich....	3,500 550	28th Nov.
MEDUSA	G. Ragusin	3,500 550	28th Dec.

A Surgeon and Stewardess on board of every Steamer.

Rates of Passage (exclusive of Wines and Spirits, which can be had on board at moderate prices) as under:—

	1st Class.	2nd Class.	Deck.
TO TRIESTE OR BRINDISI..	Rs. 450	Rs. 280	Rs. 120

RETURN TICKETS are issued available for SIX months at the following rates:—

	1st Class.	2nd Class.
TRIESTE OR BRINDISI.....	Rs. 800	Rs. 450

Steamers for BOMBAY leave TRIESTE on the 1st and BRINDISI on the 3rd of each month.

STEAM TO COLOMBO, PENANG, SINGAPORE AND HONGKONG.

Steamer.	Captain.	Tons. HP.	To sail.
MEDUSA	G. Ragusin	3,500 550	27th Oct.

No Cargo will be received on board after sunset on the day previous to sailing.

INSURANCES effected by the General Insurance Company (Limited), Marine Branch.

For further particulars, Freight, Passage, &c., &c., apply to

J. JANNI, Agent.

Sassoon House, 30, Church-gate-street, Bombay, Sept. 1883.

NOTICE.

A QUANTITY of OLD IRON, consisting of Cast Iron Mortar Beds and Cast Iron Ordnance, is available FOR SALE in the Arsenal, FORT SAINT GEORGE, MADRAS. Intending Purchasers should apply to the INSPECTOR GENERAL of ORDNANCE, Fort Saint George, for further particulars as to the terms and conditions of sale.

C. W. BRERETON, Major, R. A.,
Deputy Inspector General of Ordnance,
(In Charge Ordnance Office.)

BOMBAY TELEPHONE COMPANY, Limited.

NOTICE is hereby given that the OPEN EXCHANGES at the Colaba Cotton Green and at the Prince's Dock will only be available to the Public on presentation of Tickets obtainable at the offices of the Company, and at the Prince's Dock Exchange.

Price Rs. 10 per packet of 10 Tickets or Rs. 5 per packet of 20 Tickets.

BENN, ASHLEY & Co.,
Secretaries and Agents.

NOTICE TO COOPERS AND OTHERS.

TENDERS are invited by the Marine Storekeeper, I. G. Dockyard, Bombay, for the PURCHASE of SECOND HAND EMPTY PUNCHEONS, HOGSHEADS, BARRELS, HALF-HOGSHEADS, KILDERKINS and small CASKS, also LOOSE STAVES HEADING PIECES and HOOPS IRON landed from time to time from H. M.'s Troopships and Royal Navy vessels.

Tenders must be sent in to the Marine Storekeeper's office by 12 o'clock noon on the 22nd October, 1883, when information as to the number and usual condition of the Casks can be obtained.

The Marine Storekeeper does not bind himself to accept the highest or any tender, as they will have to be submitted to the Admiralty for approval.

Each Tender must be accompanied by Rs. 200 as a deposit, and the successful Tenderer will have to deposit an additional Rs. 300 (in all Rs. 500) security for the fulfilment of the Contract which will be for 12 months from the 1st December next.

The Tender must be for each and all the articles named in the Schedule.

C. JACKA,
Acting Marine Storekeeper.

I. G. Dockyard, Bombay, 11th October, 1883.

WILLIAM RAINBOW, late of Bombay, at present carrying on business as Engineer and Commission Agent at No. 3, Boyle Street, Luton, in the County of Bedfordshire, England, begs to notify that he has established a Commission Agency business for all private and public information regarding machinery, &c., that might be required from England by residents in India. With the advantage of 30 years' practical experience as an Engineer in England, India and America, he is prepared to inspect any machinery prior to shipment or purchase.

All commissions with which he may be intrusted will meet with careful and immediate attention at the following charges, exclusive of second-class railway fare for the different parts travelled over.

Private Enquiry Business £1-1-0 per day.

Inspection of machinery in small lots of £50 to £100 in value, 7½ per cent. commission; from £100 to £300 in value, 5 per cent.; from £300 to £500 in value, 3 per cent.

Specifications, &c., of machinery and instruments.

All [illegible] plain and definite as possible, and address so as to ensure

[illegible] Accountants, Bombay, to collect all [illegible] named Wm. Rainbow, late of Bombay, at present carrying on business as Engineer and Commission Agent at No. 3, Boyle Street, Luton, in the County of Bedfordshire, England, begs to notify that he has established a Commission Agency business for all private and public information regarding machinery, &c., that might be required from England by residents in India. With the advantage of 30 years' practical experience as an Engineer in England, India and America, he is prepared to inspect any machinery prior to shipment or purchase.

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SHIPPING.

THE BRITISH INDIA STEAM NAVIGATION COMPANY (LIMITED)

Intend to despatch Steamers as follows:—

FOR COAST AND CALCUTTA.

S. S. "MALDA," 1,945 tons, on WEDNESDAY, 17th October, 1883, at 4 p.m., calling at Ratnagherry, Vingoria, Carwar, Mangalore, Cannanore, Tellicherry, Calicut, Beypore, Cochin, Alleppey, Tuticorin, Colombo, Negapatam, Madras, Cocconada, Vizagapatam, Bimlipatam, Gopaulpore and False Point. Ports are called at in the foregoing or any order, weather permitting.

The "MALDA" may proceed to Beypore first, returning to Calicut afterwards.

FOR KURRACHEE AND PERSIAN GULF.

S. S. "MECCA," 1,465 tons, on TUESDAY, 16th October, 1883, at 4 p. m., calling at Kurrachee, Bunder Abbas, Lingah, Bahrein, Bushire, Fao, and Busreh, in the foregoing or any order, weather permitting.

FOR CUTCH MANDAVIE AND KURRACHEE.

S. S. "EUPHRATES," 807 tons, on SATURDAY, 20th October, 1883, at 10 a.m.

FOR ADEN, ZANZIBAR AND MOZAMBIQUE.

S. S. "ASSYRIA," 1,465 tons, on 7th November, 1883.

MACKINNON MACKENZIE & Co.,
Bombay, 12th October, 1883. Agents.

NEW "THE IMPERMEABLE" PATENT.

WE guarantee this WATCH to be thoroughly water, and therefore also dust-proof. May be kept going under water for a number of days without its taking the slightest injury. No watch sold unless tried under water for at least 3 days. A few of these Watches may be seen going completely under water at our establishment. The Watch is KEYLESS and in white metal case. Price Rs. 35 cash.

FAVRE-LEUBA & Co., Bombay.

NEW ADVERTISEMENTS.

PETIT MEDOC CLARET.

TREACHER & Company's importation of this Wine remains *unequalled* at the price. The Public are respectfully requested to compare the quality with similar Brands, (so styled) recently shipped to this market.

Per doz. Quarts, Cash, Rs. 13.
Per doz. Pints, Cash, Rs. 7-8

TREACHER & COMPANY, Ld.,
BOMBAY, BYCULLA, AND POONA.

TREACHER'S CRICKET BALLS

are manufactured by a practical Kent Cricket Ball Maker, who enjoys the distinguished patronage of the leading Professional Players in England, and being bought first-hand are offered at a reduction from the usual rates. The FOUR-SEAMED Registered Match Balls are the best ever yet introduced.

	Cash.
Double-seamed Balls.....	Rs. 3 8
Treble-seamed Balls	,, 4 0
Four-seamed Balls, "Registered" ...	,, 4 8

TREACHER & COMPANY (Ld).,
BOMBAY, BYCULLA, & POONA.

THE SALE OF TREACHER & CO.'S RENOWNED BLENDED GLENLIVET WHISKY

CONTINUES monthly to increase, and the Custom House returns show that it is fully equal to those of any other half-dozen brands of SCOTCH WHISKY imported into the Bombay Market.

Cash price per dozen Rs. 22-8.

TREACHER & COMPANY, Ld.,
BOMBAY, BYCULLA, AND POONA.

TARASP,

FROM THE LUCIUS SPRING.

THE PUREST and most PALATABLE MEDICINAL WATER known. Useful in abnormal obesity, oppressed functions of the Glandular and Vascular system, Gout, Rheumatism and Skin-diseases.

Price, per bottle .....Rs. 0 14
Do. per dozen 9 0

Specially appointed Sole Agents for India, by the MANAGING COMMITTEE OF THE TARASP SPA,

TREACHER & COMPANY (Ld.),
BOMBAY, BYCULLA, AND POONA.

FISHING TACKLE,

SPECIALLY MANUFACTURED FOR INDIA.

BAITING NEEDLES.
CLEARING RINGS.
DISGORGERS.
FLIES, Artificial.
FLOATS, Cork and Quill.
GAFF HOOKS.
GIMP and GIMP TRACES.
GUT, Salmon and Trout.
GUT CASTING LINES, single, double, and treble.
GUT TRACES, single and double.
HOOKS, single and treble, loose, and on gut.
HOOKS on GIMP, single, double and treble.
LEAD SINKERS.
LINES, Plaited Silk, Waterproof Silk, and Twisted silk and Hair.
PHANTOM MINNOWS and Artificial Fish.
REELS with secret checks.
RINGS and KEEPERS.
RODS, Fly, General, Salmon, and Trolling.
SHOT CUTTERS and Pliers.
SILK for binding and mounting.
SPOON BAITS.
SWIVELS, assorted.

Detailed Price Lists upon application.

TREACHER & COMPANY, Ld.,
BOMBAY, BYCULLA, AND POONA.

GENUINE ALBAN WHISKY,

(Bottled in England,)

IS agreeable, soft, and of full flavour, never imported before in India, selected by a well-known Wine Merchant House of London.

Per dozen, R 24.

B. S. MADON AND CO.,
6, HUMMUM-STREET, FORT, BOMBAY.

COMPOUND ESSENCE OF INDIAN BAEL-FRUIT.

A NEW but specific and unfailing remedy for acute and chronic Dysentery, Diarrhœa, and Bowel Complaints. It is chiefly composed of Indian Bael-Fruit Essence and other Medicines recommended for the cure of these Diseases.

Per bottle As. 8, 14, and Re. 1-8.

B. S. MADON AND CO.,
FORT, BOMBAY.

MADON'S NEVER-FAILING PULMONIC BALM.

IT has already gained a repute for its curative properties for Cough, Cold, Asthma, Whooping Cough, Bronchitis, Sore Throat, Hoarseness of Sound and other varieties of Chest and Lung affections. It is composed of simply vegetable drugs, and may be given to children and delicate persons without the least fear.

Per bottle Re. 1 and As. 8.

B. S. MADON & CO.,
FORT, BOMBAY.

ROYAL INSURANCE COMPANY.

CAPITAL—£2,000,000 STERLING.

TOTAL ACCUMULATED FUNDS, invested in the best and safest Securities, now amount to

£4,673,299 5 1 STERLING.

FIRE BRANCH.

POLICIES covering risks on MERCHANDISE, BUILDINGS, SPINNING MILLS, COTTON AND JUTE PRESSES, SHOPS, BUNGALOWS, HOUSEHOLD FURNITURE, HOTELS, AND CLUBS, both in BOMBAY and in the MOFUSSIL, granted on most favourable terms, COALS on the BUNDERS and KEROSINE OIL also covered.

STAMPS ON ANNUAL POLICIES paid by the Company.

Fire Premiums for 1862.....	£300,690
,, 1881.....	£883,324

LIFE BRANCH.

POLICIES granted by the UNDERSIGNED without reference to Head Office on APPROVED LIVES. MILITARY LIVES in CIVIL employ have extra premium returned.

ENDOWMENT ASSURANCES, payable at fixed periods or still, and children on very favourable terms.

LAST REVERSIONARY BONUS 7½ per cent.

REDUCTION TO EUROPEAN rates, when assured leave either Alexandria or Port Said.

Accumulated LIFE FUNDS now amount to £2,389,9

GROWTH OF FUNDS.

1806	£1,254,277 3 1	1876	£3,492,950 1 4
1871	£2,196,972 15 8	1881	£4,673,299 5 1

THOS. H. MOORE & Co.,
Agents Royal Insurance Company.
6, Hummum-street.

NEW ADVERTISEMENTS.

A VERY RARE AND GOLDEN CHANCE.

TO BE LET, from 1st November, a very desirable TOP-FLOOR for a residence on the Esplanade near Gymkhana. For rent and other particulars, apply to

P. BYRAMJEE,
House Agent.

9, Hornby Row, Fort.

THE "OLD NINE ELMS" PORTLAND CEMENT.

THE following is a result of an official test of the above deservedly popular cement:—

	Tensile strength.	Crushing strength.
Sample A 540 lbs. per square inch,		1816 per square inch.
B 530 ,,	,,	3028 ,,
C 580 ,,	,,	1892 ,,

It is strong, durable and quicksetting.

WARDEN & Co.

32, Meadow-street, Fort.

DRAUGHT BEER,
The most popular Drink of the season,
Fresh cask just tapped,
CALIFORNIAN FRUITS, SINGAPORE PINEAPPLES, ICES, ICED DRINKS, NON-ALCOHOLIC, PASTRY, BISCUITS, COMFITS, HAM, SANDWICHES, WINES, SPIRITS AND PROVISIONS, TOBACCO, CIGARS AND CIGARETTES, PERFUMERY AND TOILET REQUISITES, TEA, COFFEE, AND SUGAR,
AT
BYCULLA CO-OPERATIVE STORES.

NOTICE.

S. S. CHANDERNAGOR has ARRIVED from Marseilles and is discharging in the Prince's Dock. CONSIGNEES are requested to TAKE DELIVERY of their goods at once. Any claim for shortage, breakage, &c., should be made to the undersigned before the steamer sails, otherwise no claim will be admitted.

RALLI BROTHERS,
Agents.

Bombay, 16th October, 1883.

CALCUTTA INTERNATIONAL EXHIBITION.

AN ADJOURNED MEETING of the GENERAL COMMITTEE of the Calcutta International Exhibition will be held in the rooms of the Chamber of Commerce, on TUESDAY, the 23rd instant, at 3 p.m., to consider what action should be taken with reference to the practice now being adopted of making contracts antagonistic to the rules of the Association.

By order of the Committee,
J. GORDON,
Secretary.

Bombay, 15th October, 1883.

THE PARELL SPINNING AND WEAVING COMPANY, LIMITED.

NOTICE is hereby given that a DIVIDEND for the half-year ending 30th June last, at the rate of Rs. 20 per share on the fully paid up shares, and of Rs. 10 per share in the new shares (i. s. 200 paid-up), has been declared and will be paid on and after MONDAY, the 22nd instant, at the registered Office of the Company to the Shareholders whose names stood on the Company's Register this day, on production of their share certificates.

PREMCHUND ROYCHUND & Co.,
Agents.

Bombay, 15th October, 1883.

NOTICE is hereby given that MOOLBAI, widow of the late GOVINDJEE VELJEE, of Bombay, Hindoo inhabitant, was, with the consent of the mortgagee HON'BLE MR. VELJEE NAYEEN, a Hindoo inhabitant, CONTRACTED TO PURCHASE from JADHOWJEE KHIMJEE, executor of MOOLBAI, widow of the late VERJEE SOONDERJEE of Sabiaracc, also of Bombay, Hindoo inhabitant, the following PROPERTY. ALL PERSONS having CLAIMS upon the said property, either by way of mortgage, lien, gift, mortgage, inheritance, or otherwise howsoever are hereby required to make the same KNOWN IN WRITING to the undersigned at his office, No. 7, Church-gate-street, Fort, within FOURTEEN DAYS from the date hereof; otherwise the sale will be completed without regard to any claim, and the claim, if any, shall be considered to have been waived, null and void. All that piece or parcel of Government land or ground, with messuage, tenement, or dwelling-house standing thereon, situate, lying and being in and fronting on the east side of Chinch-bunder 4th street, in the registration sub-district of Mandvee, assessed by the Assessor of Assessment under No. 268 and by the Collector of Land Revenue under No. 211, and under new Survey No. 2674, and measuring by admeasurement 770 square yards, be the same little more or less, and which said house is known as that of PARTA PURSHAM, and bounded as follows—that is to say, on the east by the Great Indian Peninsula Railway line, on the west by the said Chinch Bunder 4th street, on the north by a sweepers' passage and beyond that the house of Heerjee Ookerda, and on the south by a sweepers' passage and beyond that the house of Thacker Ludha Madhowjee, and which said premises formerly were and at present are in the occupation of the said Jadhowjee Khimjee and his tenants.—Dated this 15th day of October, 1883.

D. P. KANGA,
For Mr. R. M. SAYANI, Purchaser's Attorney.

COMMISSARIAT.

SEALED TENDERS and VERBAL OFFERS will be received in November next at 11 a.m. (local time), at the Executive Commissariat Office at Aden, and at 1 p.m. at the Commissariat Store-keeper General's Office, Bombay, and on the dates fixed against each for Contracts as specified for 1884 except for potatoes, &c., which will be for the year 1884-85, when they will be opened and the rates read in the presence of such of the Tenderers as may attend.

FOR ADEN.

Sugar	Under Schedule No. 26	Tenders to be received on 13th Nov. 1883.
Sugar	,, No. 26 A	,, on 13th Nov. 1883.
Potatoes and Vegetables...	,, No. 27	,, on 15th Nov. 1883.
Tea, &c.....	,, No. 28	,, on 15th Nov. 1883.
Purchase of Cattle and Sheep offals	,, No. 29	,, on 28th Nov. 1883.

FOR PERIM.

Mutton, Provisions, water and Miscellaneous articles	Under Schedule No. 1	,, on 15th Nov. 1883.

Forms of Tenders and Schedules with further particulars can be had on application at the above Offices.

No Tenders will be received or attended to unless accompanied by the necessary earnest money in Treasury receipt, viz., 2½ per cent. on the estimated value of the Contract.

No earnest money in cash will be received.

Further security deposit on acceptance of the Tender must be furnished in cash or Government Loan papers to the extent of 10 per cent. of the estimated value of the Contract.

The successful bidder will have to lodge a deposit of 10 per cent. on the amount of the bid for the due fulfilment of his Contract, which deposit will be forfeited to Government in the event of any delay, evasion, or breach on his part to carry on or perform the terms of the Contract.

In the event of earnest money being deposited in the Treasury and a Tender not being submitted the earnest money will be forfeited to Government.

E. OSTREHAN, Lieut.-Col.,
For Acting Commissary-General.
Commissary-General's Office, Bombay, 9th Oct., 1883.

COMMISSARIAT.

SEALED TENDERS and VERBAL OFFERS will be received in November next at 11-30 a.m., at the offices of the Commissariat Storekeeper General and the Executive Commissariat Officer, Bombay, and at noon at the other respective Executive Commissariat Offices noted below, and on the dates fixed against each, for Contracts as specified for 1884-85, when they will be opened and the rates read in the presence of such of the Tenderers as may attend.

Commissariat Storekeeper General, Bombay.....	Hired boat tonnage and sea and land carriage, under schedule No. 23.	Tenders to be received on 13th Nov. 1883.
	Oil, Kerosine, under schedule No. 24-A.	13th Nov., 1883.
	Oil sweet and oil cocoanut, under schedule No. 24-B.	13th Nov., 1883.
	Hired biggaries, &c., and hamaalage, under schedule No. 36.	20th Nov., 1883.
Karachi.....	Hired boat tonnage and sea and land carriage, under schedule No. 23.	13th Nov., 1883.
Poona	Steam-coal (english North country, under schedule No. 25.	13th Nov., 1883.
Bombay.....	Oil of sorts and oil kerosine, under schedule No. 24.	13th Nov., 1883.
Poona	Gin, Champagne, Lime-juice, Lemonade, &c., under schedule No. 26.	13th Nov., 1883.
Ahmednagar..	Arrowroot, Tapioca,	
Belgaum.....	Sago, &c., under schedule No. 27.	15th Nov., 1883.
Ahmedabad ...	Firewood and Charcoal, under schedule No. 28.	15th Nov., 1883.
Deesa.....	Coffee, under schedule No. 29.	15th Nov., 1883.
Mhow	Straw, paddy or rice, under schedule No. 32.	20th Nov., 1883.
Neemuch.....	Butter, Milk, & Chicken, &c., under schedule No. 37.	20th Nov., 1883.
Nasirabad		
Karachi		
Hyderabad ...		

No Tender will be received at Mhow for the supply of straw, paddy or rice, under schedule No. 32.

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Further security deposit on acceptance of the Tender must be furnished in cash or Government Loan papers to the extent of 10 per cent. of the estimated value of the Contract.

The successful bidder will have to lodge a deposit of 10 per cent. on the amount of the bid for the due fulfilment of his Contract, which deposit will be forfeited to Government in the event of any delay, evasion, or breach on his part to carry on or perform the terms of the Contract.

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E. OSTREHAN, Lieut.-Colonel,
For Acting Commissary-General.
Commissary-General's Office, Bombay, 9th October, 1883

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Hunting.....	Rs.	30	to Rs.	80	
Half-hunting	,,	35

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…NG, OCT. 15.

…rican Cotton crop
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…ons for assuming such a
Wheat crop of the United
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There may be no deficiency, how-
…orld's supply of wheat, provided the
…sia and Eastern Europe reach anything
expectations. Things also look well for
…or sowings throughout India.

…NEY.—The Bank of Bombay's return for the
…k ending on Saturday, the 13th instant, shows
the following alterations :—

	Amount.	Increase.	Decrease.
	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.
Public Deposits at H. O.	45,85,097		13,77,463
Do. do. Branches	20,01,417	83,220	..
Other Deposits	1,63,31,693	19,72,293	..
Cash Credits undrawn..	3,38,416	51,978	..
Govt. & other Authorised Securities.....	56,93,928	1,977	..
Cash Credits on Security of Govt. Paper, Bullion, and Merchandize	13,48,313	..	17,322
Loans	36,13,851	..	21,20,480
Bills Discounted	1,50,02,370	3,29,851	..
Cash Balances with Correspondents	5,51,446	2,45,542	..
Cash & Currency Notes..	1,22,33,093	22,91,924	..

The statement is of a favourable character and shows increased case in the Money Market. There is a decrease of about 18 lakhs in the loans and bills discounted, while the private deposits have risen nearly 20 lakhs. The Government deposits, however, are 13 lakhs less. The cash balance now …or the pre-

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Francs	do.	do.	…Fcs. 2·09.	

GOVERNMENT PAPER quiet—4 per cents. Rs. 98⅜ ; 4½ per cents. Rs. 103.

SHARES.—There is some demand for Bank of Bombays at Rs. 750. A few Berar and Bombay Cotton Press shares were placed at Rs. 590 ex div. and Rs. 1,010 respectively. There is a slightly better feeling for Mill shares, and rates have improved a little. Alliances were done at Rs. 87½ ex div., ; Bhurrumseys at Rs. 50½ ; Jewraz Balloos at Rs. 1,125 ; Khataos at Rs. 1,025 ; Morarjees at Rs. 1,530 ; and Prince of Wales at Rs. 305. Colaba Land and Press Co.'s shares have advanced to Rs. 780.

COTTON.—The demand for export is extremely limited, and dealers are willing to make a slight concession in prices. We have not heard of any transactions of importance during the day.

	Per candy.	
Oomrawuttee.....	F.G. ..	178
Do.	Good ..	172
Do.	F.G.F. ..	167
Dhollera	F.G. ..	178
Do.	Good ..	171-173
Do. do.	F.G.F. ..	165-166
Western	Good ..	161
Do. in	F.G.F. ..	153
Dharwar Saw-ginned	..	168-169
Compta	..	150
New Machine-ginned Broach.....	Good ..	214-215 Mar.
Do. Oomrawuttee	Good ..	184-185
Do. Bengal	Good ..	134-152 Dec.-Jan.
Do. do.	F.G. ..	158-159

LINSEED is a shade easier. Small lots on the spot have been placed at Rs. 3-11 to Rs. 5-11½ per cwt.

RAPESEED remains steady with a limited business doing at current prices, Guzerat Rs. 8 to Rs. 8-2, Cawnpore Rs. 7-8 to Rs. 7-12, and Brown Rs. 6-14 to Rs. 7 per cwt.

WHEAT is steady, and there is a moderate inquiry without any alteration in prices.

FREIGHTS are dull, Liverpool *via* Canal 18s. 9d. for Wheat ; 21s. 3d. for Cotton ; Marseilles 17s. 16d. Trieste and Venice, Rs. 11½.

PIECE-GOODS.—There is very little inquiry in the bazaar to-day, and owing to heavy arrivals prices are somewhat easier.

BOMBAY BILL AND STOCK LISTS.

…VOLUNTEER RIFLE CORPS.

…ERS.

…Commandant,

…Saturday, the
…ll at 4-30 p.m.
…l be notified

…e discontinued
…n, which only

…the Western
…g requested
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…firing to the
The Range at Colaba will be available for practice for the Bombay Volunters on Friday next, the 19th inst. Members wishing to shoot must give notice of their intention not later than 2 p. m. on the day of firing, in order that markers, &c., may be provided.

The undermentioned members having joined are taken on the strength of the Corps from this date and posted to H. Company, viz :—Voirs. B. De' Souza, L. Pereira, T. Smith, and D. Mendonca.

By order,
A. H. ATKINSON,
Capt. and Adjt., B.V.R.C.

Company.					
Albert Edward Cotton Mills Co., Ld.	1,000	500	500	..	
Anglo-Indian S. & W. Company	30,000	100	100	Rs. 7½	139
Alfred Manufg. Co.	1,000	500	500	181-2	545
AllianceCotton & Silk Manufg. Co., Ld. ..	1,800	1,000	..	Rs. 50	875xd
Bhawanigur Mills	4,800	100	100	..	102½
Bombay United	900	1,000	1,000	Rs. 40	1,010
BudneiraMfg. Co., Ld.	1,000	..	500	..	410
Central India S. .. .. W. Company	2,500	500	500	Rs. 30	690xd
Coorla Mills	300	50	1,000	Rs. 10	810
D. Spinning	3,000	2,000	all	Rs. 11	502½
Empress S. & W. Co.	1,136	500	all	Rs. 25	845
Framji Petit Mfg. Co.	1,400	1,000	1,000	..	875
Goisin Babu S. Co. ..	1,000	500	500	20	48
Gordon Mills	1,032	1,000	1,000	..	665
Hindupur Lands	1,400	1,000	1,000	Rs. 40	1,080
HydrabadSpinningCo.	700	1,000	1,000	Rs. 70	1,170xd
Imperial Cotton Mills Company	900	500	500	..	540
Jafar Ali Spng. Co. ..	900	500	500	Rs. 55	590
Jowraj Bhalloo	1,000	1,000	1,000	Rs. 55	1,125
Khandesh	750	1,000	1,000	Rs. 30	975
Khatao Manufg. Co. ..	1,000	1,000	1,000	Rs. 75	1,025
Leopold S., Bleaching & Mfg. Co., Ld.	3,300	100	100	Rs. 4	132
Madras United	950	1,000	1,000	Rs. 90	2,900
Mahalukshmi	650	1,000	1,000	Rs. 50	985
Manockjee Petit's	2,500	1,000	all	Rs. 60	1,155
Mazagon Spinning Co.	5,000	250	250	Rs. 12	23½
Morarjee Goculdas ..	1,030	1,000	1,000	Rs. 6	1,530
National Spinning	1,000	1,000	1,000	Rs. 45	960
New Great Eastern ..	1,400	1,000	1,000	Rs. 35	1,020
Oriental	4,000	625	625	Rs. 20	690
Parell S. & W. Co. Ld.	2,500	400	400	Rs. 14	320
People of India S. & W. Company	1,000	250	..	..	280
Prince of Wales Spinning Company.	1,500	500	500	30	305
Sassoon S. & W. Co.	1,500	1,000	1,000	Rs. 50	1,400
Shahabad Mills	1,000	1,000	1,000	Rs. 50	1,010
Soorajmull Nagarmull	750	1,000	1,000	Rs. 50	92xd
Tarn India	500	50	Rs. 30	Rs. 20	5·5
Victoria Mills	650	1,000	1,000	Rs. 35	770
Western India S. & M. Company	1,200	1,000	1,000	Rs. 50	940xd

LAND COMPANIES.

Colaba Co.	4,000	3,000	2,925	Rs. 35	78
Land'g Co.	6,000	1,400	1,400	Rs. 14	372

BANK OF BOMBAY.

…MENT of the affairs of the Bank of Bombay …October as compared with the statement of 6th October :—

LIABILITIES.	Oct. 6. Rs.	Oct. 13. Rs.
Proprietors' Capital.....	1,00,00,000	1,00,00,000
Reserve Fund, invested in Govt. and other authorized Securities..	24,25,000	24,25,000
Public Deposits at Head Office....	59,62,560	45,85,097
Do. do. at Branches.....	19,18,2 8	20,01,417
Other Deposits	1,74,09,600	1,93,81,993
Post Bills	23,046	23,906
Cash Credits undrawn.....	2,86,438	3,38,416
	3,80,24,852	3,87,,5,859
ASSETS.		
Govt. & other authorized Securities	56,91,951	56,93,928
Cash Credits, on Security of Govt. Paper, Bullion, and Merchandize	13,65,635	13,48,313
Loans, on Security of do	37,34,334	36,13,851
Current Accounts, overdrawn	1,218	1,877
Bills Discounted and purchased ...	1,46,72,516	1,50,02,370
Stamps	2,310	2,223
Dead Stock..... Rs. 3,53,753		
Amt. applied in reduction ..3,50,000	3,03,753	3,03,753
Cash Balances with Correspondents	3,05,904	5,51,446
Cash and Currency Notes.....	99,42,201	1,22,33,0 5
	3,80,24,852	3,87,55,859

SHIPPING INTELLIGENCE.

…arque Florence, 800 tons, Captain W. …which arrived in harbour on the 14th …Mauritius (13th Sept.), brought a cargo …ugar, and four deck passengers.

…Co.'s steamer Euphrates, 490 tons, …son, arrived in harbour yester- …Coast and Kurrachee with a …following passengers :—Mr. …s lady, and 400 deck.

…andernagore, 2,312 tons, …arrived in harbour on …seilles (22nd Sept.), …assengers :—Mr. E. …Mrs. McNaughten, …Webster. She …barrels grapes, …pictures, 1 case …read, 2 cases …es candles, …150 boxes …8 cases …ckages …oods.

MADRAS COMMANDER-IN-CHIEF'S ORDERS.

…Head-quarters, Ootacamund, October 11. …instructions from the Horse Guards, Lieu- …n, R. E., is brought on the strength …Establ from 3rd Sept. the date of his …for India.

…named below will proceed to England …ds, &c., under orders for Deolali for …he troopship Jumna leaving Bom- …y.

…ade, R. A., under orders for …C. No. 483 of 1883.

…h, 2nd Battn. Bedfordshire …join the Staff College, …

…2nd Battn. Hampshire …r duty with the regi-

CALCUTTA.

Oct. ARRIVALS.

11 C. Manchester(s)..Macdonald..Liverpool, Sept. 5.
Claymore (s)..... ..Gulland ....Singapore, Oct. 1.

DEPARTURES.

Oct. 11.—Steamer Quetta. Ships Ragna and Dominion. Barque Ardgowan.

DAILY IMPORTS.—OCTOBER 15.

FROM LIVERPOOL.

Nubia s—25 cases yellow metal sheets, Sir Charles Forbes and Co ; 50 packages bar soap, John S. Elmore and Co ; 25 cases copper sheets, Kevulidass Lullobhoy.
Aston Hall s—25 cases copper sheets, Killick, Nixon and Co ; 50 packages copper sheets, Kevuldass Lullobhoy ; 50 cases copper sheets, Laldass Chubildass.
Sicily s—70 boxes brandy, Shapoorjee Rustomjee Sookhia.

FROM LONDON.

Verona s—13 cases paper, Abdoolally Abdoolrahim and Co.
Canara s—11 cases paper, Nuzerally Cumroodin ; 7 cases paper, M. A. M. Surufally ; 11 cases oilmanstore and 8 cases provisions, Sorabjee Hormusjee Readewalla ; 50 cases yellow metal sheets, Ritchie, Steuart and Co ; 26 cases whiskey, Dhunjeebhoy Cowasjee ; 4 cases sherry, Cutler, Palmer and Co.
Nepaul s—1 hogshead brandy, D. Nussurwanjee.
Khedive s—1 hogshed cognac and 10 cases sherry, Cutler, Palmer and Co.
Rohilla s—5 cases claret, Cutler, Palmer and Co.
Dago s—1 hogshead cognac, Cutler, Palmer and Co.
Brindisi s—16 cases cognac, Cutler, Palmer and Co.
Agra s—5 cases brandy and 22 cases port, Cutler, Palmer and Co.

FROM MARSEILLES.

Gwalior s—3 cases musical boxes, P. Ruttonjee ; 3 packages medicines, H. S. Madon and Co.

FROM TRIESTE.

Gwalior s—70 cases wine, Treacher and Co.

FROM BORDEAUX.

Verona s—31 cases claret, The Royal Bombay Yacht Club.

DAILY EXPORTS.—OCTOBER 15.

FOR LIVERPOOL.

Nubia s—150 bales cotton, Geo. Lockhart and Co ; 87 bales wool, Hurjeewan Vussonjee ; 400 bales wool, Nursee Khutsee ; 6,232 cwts wheat, Lang, Moir and Co ; 724 cwts wheat, Ritchie, Steuart and Co ; 4,000 cwts wheat, Peily and Co ; 506 cwts wheat, Nursee Khutsee ; 1,804 cwts wheat, Wallace and Co ; 1925 cwts horns, Hajee Haroom Esmail ; 44 cwts coir yarn, Megjee Mooljee ; 80 cwts bones, Mahamed Allana ; 800 cwts bones, Peerbhoy Allarakhia ; 1,600 cwts bones, Cassum Mahomed ; 225 cwts coir yarn, Mooljee Jetha and Co ; 9 bales wool, Girdhurdass Ramgoomull ; 1,000 cwts rice, Khimjee Lookmidas ; 111 bales cotton, David Sassoon and Co ; 62 bales cotton, Dowjee Damjee ; 125 bales wool, Gocuidass Toolsidass.

FOR LONDON.

Canara s—300 bales cotton, J. C. Bushby and Co ; 3½ cwts cardamoms, Hurrydass Goculdass.

FOR ANTWERP.

Florida s—300 bales cotton, Geo. Lockhart and Co ; 100 bales cotton, Glade and Co.

FOR NAPLES.

Manilla s—1000 bales cotton, Olcese and Co ; 100 bales cotton, E. Spinner and Co.

FOR TRIESTE.

Lombardy s—700 bales cotton, Killick, Nixon and Co ; 510 bales cotton, F. Sauquet and Co ; 220 bales cotton, Olcese and Co ; 150 bales cotton, Glade and Co ; 300 bales cotton, J. C. Bushby and Co.

FOR VENICE.

Lombardy s—220 bales cotton, Killick, Nixon and Co ; 330 bales cotton, F. Sauquet and Co ; 220 bales cotton, Lyon and Co ; 6,000 cwts linseed, Volkart Brothers.

FOR MARSEILLES.

Manilla s—1,600 cwts wheat, Tyebjee and Co ; 300 cwts horns, A. Bias heck and Co.
Chandernagore—15,491 cwts wheat, 4,017 cwts linseed, and 3,000 cwts poppyseed, Ralli Brothers ; 801 cwts mowra flowers and 1,360 cwts mowra seed, D. P. Batha and Co ; 2554 cwts mowra flowers, Mugonlall Chotalall ; 500 cwts horns, A. Blascheck and Co ; 2,400 cwts mowra flowers, F. Sauquet and Co ; 1,500 cwts mowra seed and 935 cwts groundnuts, Punnett and Co.

FOR GENOA.

Manilla s—2,957½ cwts wheat, 999 cwts rapseed, and 6,000 cwts gingellyseed, Volkart Brothers ; 900 bales cotton, Glade and Co ; 220 bales cotton, Olcese and Co ; 100 bales cotton, Lang, Moir and Co.

FOR CALCUTTA.

Malda s—191 bales cotton, Ramjeedass Luckmidass.

MILITARY INTELLIGENCE.

ARRIVALS.—OCTOBER 10.

Melliss, Major, Staff Corps, from leave, from England.

OCTOBER 13.

Pemberton, Surg., on leave, from Hoshungabad.
Dobbie, Lieut., 30th Punjab N. I., on leave, from Mangalore.
Daniell, Capt., 3rd Bombay Cavalry, from leave, from London.

OCTOBER 15.

Lawrey, Lieut., 2nd Belooches, on duty, from Ahmednuggur.
Seton, Lieut.-Col., 4th Rifles, on leave, from Ahmednuggur.

DEPARTURES.—OCTOBER 13.

Dobbie, Lieut., 30th Punjaub N.I., to rejoin, to Meerut.
Pinhey, Lieut., 23rd Bombay N.L.I., to join, to Ahmedabad.

OCTOBER 15.

Seton, Lieut.-Col., 4th Rifles, from leave, to Ahmednuggur.
Knott, Quarter Master, E. Yorkshire, on sick leave, to Kurrachee.

Head-quarters, Simla, October 4.

The C.-in-C. in India is pleased to make the following appointments :—

14th Native Infantry.—Lieut. A. W. T. Radcliffe, Wing Officer, to be Qrmr., vice Ozzard, appointed Adjut. dated 23rd Sept. 1883.

Lieut. H. H. Ozzard, Wing Officer and Qrmr., to be Adjt., vice Hogge, vacated on promotion, dated 23rd Sept. 1883.

2nd Goorkhas.—Lieut. D. H. Macpherson, Seaforth Highlanders, a candidate for the Bengal S. C. to be Offig. Wing Officer on probation dated 23rd Sept. 1883.

Lieut. F. E. S. Claridge, 2nd West India Regt., Wing Officer on probation 3rd N. A. having failed to qualify for admission to the Bengal S. C. is posted to the 2nd Battn. Leicestershire Regt., pending the orders of H. R. H. the Field Marshal Comdg-in-Chief as to his final disposal.

The undermentioned officer has leave of absence :—2nd Battn. West Y. Regt.—Capt. V. R Rae, to remain at Mussoorie, on medical certificate, from 20th Sept. to 28th Dec. in extension of six months' sick leave granted him by the general officer commanding the Lahore Divn.

The undermentioned officers are granted leave to England with the necessary subsidiary leave :—1st Battn R. Irish Regt.—Lieut. (Adjt.) N. A. Francis, for twelve months, on medical certificate ; 2nd Battn. N. Fusiliers.—Lieut. E. J. Robinson, for six months, on medical certificate.

Head-quarters, Simla, October 5.

The C-in-C in India is pleased to make the following appointments :—

5th Bengal Cavalry.—Lieut. Col. H. A. Shakespear, 2nd in Command, to be Commandant, vice Musgrave, deceased, dated 22nd Sept. 1883.

Major J. P. D. Vanrenen, Sqdn. Comdr, to be 2nd in Command, vice Shakespear, dated 22nd Sept. 1883.

Capt. M. Armstrong, Sqdn Comdr, to move up in grade succession, vice Vanrenen, dated 22nd Sept. 1883.

12th Native Infantry.—Surgn. J. Clarke, M.D., to the officiating medical charge of the regiment, vice Surgn. R. R. H. Whitwell, transferred to civil employ.

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The Bombay Gazette

TUESDAY, OCTOBER 16, 1883.

IT is the universal opinion in Bombay that the public should largely supplement the welcome of the Corporation to their Royal Highnesses the Duke and Duchess of Connaught. It is right and becoming that the arrival of Her Majesty's son in our midst to assume a military command should be marked by a loyal demonstration. The fact that he is accompanied by his young wife, in whose person India will for the first time have the opportunity of welcoming a Princess of the reigning House, furnishes an additional ground for the manifestation of the loyal feelings with which Europeans and natives alike regard the family of Her Majesty. The time for preparation is now short, but it is sufficient, if the steps necessary be taken with promptitude. We are glad to hear that an influential Committee is being organised for the purpose of securing the co-operation of all classes of the community, and collecting subscriptions. The initiative once taken, there can be doubt of the complete success of the undertaking.

THE augmentation of deficient water-supplies by sinking artesian wells is no modern device. So far back as the beginning of the 12th century it was the custom in the French province of Artois to obtain springs of water artificially by piercing the soil to a considerable depth, in places where no indication of springs existed at the surface. Hence the term "artesian" has been applied to narrow tube wells sunk to a great depth through an impermeable stratum, and reaching water-bearing beds or subterranean reservoirs at a lower level, whence the water rises to the surface through the tube by hydrostatic pressure. In Artois originally these tubes were made of wood, but in most modern wells iron has been substituted. The term artesian is now as a rule limited to those wells where the impermeable stratum pierced is rock, as opposed to deep driven wells where the lower level water-bearing beds are reached through a stratum of impermeable clay. The principle of both, however, is very much the same, the difference of name merely depending on the stratum pierced. The origin of the subterranean water-supplies, these water-bearing beds or hidden reservoirs, is not far to seek. They may owe their existence to faults and fissures in the overlying rock, through which the water has found its way, percolating downwards from the upper water-bearing beds at higher levels ; or they may be fed by some stream which has disappeared bodily into the ground at some considerable distance off, at an elevation high enough, or with a force sufficient to raise the water through the pipe to the ground level. Whatever then may be the means of supply, and the course taken, we may safely say that the actual source of fresh supplies to these underground reservoirs must ultimately be the atmosphere, not in the immediate neighbourhood, but most probably at a very considerable distance from the place at which the lower level water-bearing stratum is tapped. In proof of this we may cite as an instance a well at Nismes in the South of France, where the supply, even in times of great drought, amounts to 145 gallons of water per minute ; but it is found that rain at a distance of over seven miles from the well in a north-westerly direction causes a sudden increase in the supply, so that it has been known to pour forth as much as 1,000 gallons per minute, without the temperature of the water undergoing any change, and without any rainfall in the immediate neighbourhood. It is clear that the spring must be fed from a distance, and by means of long channels which allow the water to flow rapidly through them. The rapidity of communication also is so great that these channels must in all probability be open. In sinking artesian wells it is evident that the character of the water in the surface wells in the neighbourhood, fed as they would be by the drainage of a limited catchment area their immediate vicinity, can be no as to the nature of the water found in the lower water bed impermeable stratum. The consequent value of that water mined by a number of considera pal among which we may geological formation of the bed it is collected, the stratum or strata which it has percolated, and last b least, the character of the original soil th which it permeated before the atmosphe water became a subterranean spring. It is therefore obvious that before any extended proposition for deriving a water-supply for any town or neighbourhood from artesian wells can be entertained, these considerations should be carefully weighed by those who from their knowledge of the geological formation of the surrounding country are capable of giving a sound and reliable opinion on the question in all its bearings. We recollect an instance at St. Louis, Mo., where, after a very large sum, about £10,000, had been spent on sinking an artesian well to improve the water-supply, perseverance was at last rewarded and the promoters of the undertaking were rejoiced by the news that water was rising through the pipe. Their joy was, however, shortlived, as it was very soon found that the water was brackish, and unfit for use. That the promoters of the scheme for augmenting the water-supply of Bombay from artesian wells have such a disappointment in store for them we would be the last to say, as we should be sorry to throw cold water on any project which has for its object the improvement of our town ; but we still urge that such an undertaking should only be begun after the most careful attention had been paid to balancing the chances of success or failure. The trap-rock of the Deccan descends to a very great depth and is up to the Ghauts of remarkable horizontality ; thence it dips westward at an angle varying from 5° to 10° towards the sea. At what depth inter trappean water-bearing beds would be reached it is impossible for us to say, but it would probably be at a very considerable depth below the sea level. Putting aside the considerations we mentioned before, we have yet another element of possible failure introduced in the insular situation of Bombay. Surrounded as it is practically on all sides by the sea, there is every chance of filtration taking place through any faults or fissures in the rock, and thus rendering the supply of water brackish. This, moreover, is a danger which will be continually increasing. For it must be remembered that in an artesian well sunk close to the sea and at a great depth below the sea-level, much of the hydrostatic pressure will be supplied by the sea itself. It does not necessarily follow from this that seawater will enter the well, and we would not wish so to be understood, but the weight of the sea-water will force the fresh water from the water-bearing beds towards the pipe by which it can escape to the surface. So long, then, as the supply of fresh water in the beds remains constant or does not fall below a certain minimum, so long will the well remain pure and untainted by the salt water. When, however, this minimum is passed, when the supply of water in the beds begins to fail, then the sea water will commence to infiltrate gradually into the beds in the immediate vicinity of the well, and the supply become brackish. Looking at it again in another way, let us suppose that instead of coming on water-bearing beds a subterranean stream has been tapped. We may fairly presume that any such stream is trying to find its way to the sea, and will at some point, not very distant from Bombay, succeed in doing so. Subterranean streams, are not generally inexhaustible, and a dry season with a large demand on the well or wells will reduce the velocity of the stream, even if it does not nearly exhaust it. The opening through which the fresh water found its way to the sea will now become a way for the salt water to find its way to the well, and impregnation with salt water and consequent brackishness will result. Nor indeed would the contamination stop here. It is quite possible that the opening might be into the harbour, and that some of the harbour water might find its way in, charged as it is with the drainage of the town, and the vaunted pure water-supply become unexpectedly the cause of a sudden and apparently inexplicable outburst of disease. When, therefore, we regard the question generally, comparing its advantages and disadvantages, we fail to see how they at all balance. The present water-supply, though perhaps not quite all it might be, still is by no means so utterly inadequate to meet the demands upon it as to necessitate or even render advisable the adoption of a scheme of which the advantages are not very clearly defined, and the chances of success are problematic. We live in an age of solid improvement, and not of airy speculation ; and before entering on any work of the sort we should be well advised of the necessity for it, and its capabilities for fulfilling the necessity adequately when completed. In this case we do not see the necessity, and are very much inclined to doubt the capabilities of the proposed scheme to supply the alleged want. The present system works well, and we consider that if anything further be required, an extension of it would be more likely to meet the case successfully, than striking out a new line of questionable utility and doubtful success.

IN Dr. Weir's Report on the Census of the City and Island of Bombay just issued, there is some very suggestive information regarding the overcrowding of the houses in this city. In Nagpada the average is sixty-seven persons to a house.* There are now very nearly five families to a house throughout Bombay. Ten years ago there were not quite four. In the Second Nagpada the average is close upon sixteen families to the house. In the smaller buildings throughout the city there is intense crowding. The increase in ten years, taking the whole area, is from twenty-one per house to twenty-five. As Dr. Weir truly says, this is a fact of infinite seriousness and danger. The density of the population is much greater than in Calcutta, although, singularly enough, the size of the families is somewhat less. It appears that the average number of inhabitants to a house in the city of Calcutta is 11·6, and in the suburbs 6·6. In 1881 there were 29,823 buildings in Bombay, of which rather more than 5 per cent. were uninhabited. This shows a great augmentation on the number of houses in 1872, when there were 6,101 less. The height of the houses has steadily increased, the number of floors having gone up 25 per cent. Still the greatest proportion of buildings are "ground-floor" only. Six-storey buildings are principally to be found in the North Fort. Dr. Weir considers that there is clear evidence of the necessity of measures to diminish the concentration and pressure of population in the crowded parts of the city.

THERE was a meeting of the Bombay Committee of the Calcutta International Exhibition yesterday afternoon, and Mr. Arthur Crawford made his promised speech impugning the conduct of its president, Mr. Thorburn, who will to-day make his reply. Mr. Crawford's speech is given in another column. We do not think it would be fair to refer to it further now, because the other side is still to be heard. It is satisfactory to know that the personal controversy has been brought to a close. Mr. Crawford frankly admitted that he spoke in the first instance with considerable heat, and stated that if he had inadvertently given offence he regretted it, and asked to be forgiven. Mr. Thorburn was, perhaps not unnaturally, nettled at having been made the object of an unexpected philippic. He placed what was manifestly a strained construction upon Mr. Crawford's allegation, interpreti… it to mean that he had accepted the po… of president with the express object o… the drag on and minimising in e… work of the Committee in co… display of Bombay arts … the Exhibition. M… disavowed any … mind in … should h… his w…

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TELEGRAMS.

PROPOSED LAW COMMISSION.

(FROM OUR OWN CORRESPONDENT.)

SIMLA, OCT. 15.

It is probable that after the Education Commission has completed its labours a Law Commission will be appointed, probably with the Hon'ble Mr. Hunter as president, with the following objects:—1st, to see how far so-called Civilians are a success from a judicial point of view in the mofussil of India; 2nd, to ascertain how far Lord Lytton's statutory rules for Native Civilians should be revised and altered; 3rd, to inquire how far practising members of the English Bar, irrespective of nationality, can be drafted into the higher Judicial Service, and how far practising pleaders of chartered High Courts can be utilized for the same purpose in the subordinate Judicial Service; 4th, to see what further means can be adopted to improve the acquirements of subordinate pleader and to establish a uniform system of public prosecutorships for the whole country.

There are other objects also in view, but details have not yet transpired.

THE BENGAL RENT BILL.

It is not yet absolutely settled whether a ryots' representative in Council will be appointed with reference to the coming contest on the Bengal Rent Bill, but if one is appointed, Mr. W. C. Bonnerjee, late Standing Counsel, Calcutta, High Court, will probably be chosen.

A SANSKRIT PROFESSOR IN ST. PETERSBURG.

Dr. N. K. Chattopadaya, late Sanskrit Professor in St. Petersburg University, is a candidate for appointment in the Foreign Office. His application, which was favourably received by the Viceroy, is now before the Secretary of State, and it is considered probable that he will be appointed an attaché before the year is out.

[REUTER'S TELEGRAMS.]

SERIOUS RIOT AT FOOCHOW.

HONGKONG, OCT. 14.

A serious riot has occurred at Foochow, during which the French Consul interfered to restore order. Details of the event, however, are not yet to hand.

THREATENING PLACARDS IN HAINAN

Placards have been posted in Hainan threatening death to the mandarins and Europeans.

THE POLITICAL SITUATION IN FRANCE.

PARIS, OCT. 14.

M. Jules Ferry, speaking at Rouen and Havre, urged the Moderate Party to unite against the Irreconcilables in the severe struggle now impending.

FRANCE AND SPAIN.

MADRID, OCT. 14.

The new Spanish Ministry have resolved to drop the dispute with France in connection with King Alphonso's late reception in Paris.

AFGHANISTAN.

ST. PETERSBURG, OCT. 14.

News published here states that the Afghans have occupied Wakhan.

MARQUIS TSENG ON THE FRANCO-CHINA QUESTION.

LONDON, OCT. 15.

Marquis Tseng, replying to an address at Folkstone on Saturday, said that he still hoped that mutual concessions would lead to a peaceful settlement of the question between France and China.

CETEWAYO.

News from the Cape states that the British Resident has gone to interview Cetewayo.

STEAMER MOVEMENT.

COLOMBO, OCT. 15.

French mail-steamer Tibre, from Calcutta, arrived.

ADEN, OCT. 15.

The Austro-Hungarian Lloyd's s.s. Medusa, from Trieste, left here for Bombay to-day.

LONDON, OCT. 13.

The Liverpool Cotton market to-day closed quiet. Fair Dhollera ..... 4 1-16d.

TELEGRAPH LINE REPORT.

(OCTOBER 15.)

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RUSSIA.—*Via* Teheran, perfect. *Via* Turkey perfect.

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AUSTRALIA.—*Via* Penang, perfect. *Via* Amoor, perfect.

CHINA.—*Via* Penang, perfect. *Via* Amoor, perfect.

THERMOMETER READINGS.

SUNDAY, NIGHT, October 14.

10 p.m. .. .. 81·0

MONDAY, October 15.

6 a.m. .. .. 78·9
10 a.m. .. .. 84·5
2 p.m. .. .. 88·8
4 p.m. .. .. 85·9

THE following telegram to the Bombay Government from the Political Resident, Aden, dated 15th October, has been forwarded to us:—"A telegram to the following effect has been received from British Consul General at Cairo:—'Board of Health have decided, in view of the number of deaths from cholera in Bombay, to maintain twenty-four hours observation on all ships coming from Bombay with clean bills of health.'"

THE Native Piece-goods Merchants' Association has decided to enter into a contract with Messrs. Finlay, Muir, and Co., agents of the Clan Line of steamers, to carry their goods from Liverpool and Glasgow to Bombay this season.

FURTHER evidence was recorded yesterday at the adjourned inquiry into the loss of the s.s. Ainsy near Ras Fartak on night of 16th August last. Mr. John Morgan, the chief officer of the vessel, could form no opinion as to the cause of the ship getting ashore. He did not lay down daily the position of the ship on the chart, because he did not consider it was his duty to do so. If the ship had been put full speed astern when the danger was first sighted, she could not have been saved, because she was a right-handed propeller ship, and any movement in the direction of the danger would have caused her to cant on the danger. The chief and third engineers, the second officer, and five able seamen of the ship were also examined. John O'Neill, an able seaman, who was on the look-out on the morning of the 16th August, said he reported the land a minute or so before the vessel struck. Just as he reported the land, he heard the mate singing out "Hard a-starboard." The second officer of the ship said that he did not expect to sight land on the 15th August or the following day; and that he had no idea which way the land lay, as he had no chart. Captain Flett, the master of the vessel, on being recalled, admitted that he now thought his chronometer, in which he had great confidence when he left Bombay, was wrong a few miles to the westward. The inquiry was adjourned until this morning, when the decision of the Court will be given as to whether charges should be framed against the captain or any of the officers.

WE are requested to state that the first smoking concert of the newly formed "Minnesingers" society will be given at Brigadier-General Mallaby's house, Marine-lines, on Friday evening next at 9-30. Every singing member is entitled to four, and every honorary member to two, tickets of admission, which can be obtained on application to Major Dundas, Town Hall.

THE Volunteer drill season will be re-opened on the 27th instant (Saturday) with a parade. The place of assembly, as in former seasons, will be the Town Hall.

IT is now definitely settled that the troopships go home *via* the Suez Canal.

REFERRING to the proposal of the Naval Commander-in-Chief to transfer the control of the Bombay Dockyard to the Admiralty, the *Indian Daily News* remarks:—"Having regard to the small amount of work done for the Navy, it is difficult to see what advantages would accrue to the Admiralty from the possession of the yard, unless they hope to do all the work required by the Indian Government at remunerative rates; whereas in the case of an expedition being despatched from Bombay, it would seriously interfere with the fitting of the transports, &c., if the control of the dockyard were vested in the Admiralty, and in no way subject to the orders of the Indian authorities."

THE sentence of whipping passed by Mr. Naylor, Assistant Magistrate of Dacca, upon some native youths who were convicted of assaulting two Brazilians named Crage and Mellington, by throwing stones at them, continues greatly to exercise the minds of Calcutta native editors. The *Reis and Rayyett* says gravely that "there is considerable indignation in the general community," and that "it is felt that there has been a failure of justice." The severest condemnation the *Reis and Rayyett* can find for the conduct of the offenders is that "it was evidently a boyish freak." Many "boyish freaks" require correction; and for such a "freak" as that of which the Dacca youths were guilty in this instance, birch-rod castigation was an eminently fitting punishment.

THE *Madras Mail* notes that "two distinguished home politicians will pay Madras a visit during the present cold season, Lord Houghton and Sir John [illegible]. Lord Houghton is nearly seventy-five y[illegible] bold experiment for a [illegible]el in India.

As Mr. Monckton Milnes his lordship made a name as a poet, as well as a politician of genuine Liberal views. His connection with literature is still practically shown in the fact of his being President of the Newspaper Press Fund. Sir John Lubbock is a much younger man, being still under fifty, but he has lived long enough to build up a solid reputation for himself, not only in the world of science, but as a politician and a practical business man. It is singular fact that the author of works like 'Prehistoric Times,' the 'Origin of Civilization,' and the 'Origin and Metamorphoses of Insect should also be the author of commonplace legislative measures like the Bank Holidays Act, the Absconding Debtors Bill, and the Falsification of Accounts Bill. Such a combination of scientific and practical ideas is rarely found in the same mind. Sir John entered his father's bank in Lombard-street, when he was only fourteen years of age. He became a partner when he was twenty-one, and while quite a young man he introduced the 'County Clearing' system, and the publication of Clearing House returns. So high was his professional reputation, indeed, that he was chosen as Honorary Secretary to the Association of London Bankers, and was nominated by the Crown to serve on the International Coinage Commission. It would be well if a man with Sir John Lubbock's reputation in the financial world could be induced to take charge of Indian finance for two or three years. But an appointment in India would offer no attractions to one who has such a career of usefulness and distinction before him in England."

ONE of the great troubles of the Indian Post Office, the *Statesman* points out, is the prevalent habit of non-prepayment of postage. "If all letters were prepaid, there is no doubt the bulk of the correspondence might be delivered in a shorter time than is now the case, but hitherto it has been found impossible to convince the generality of natives that, if they affixed stamps to their letters, they would be delivered at all to the addresses. Natives therefore prefer putting up with delay and higher rates of postage, thinking they thereby insure a higher degree of safety for their correspondence than they would obtain by prepayment at the time of posting. Nor is this idea altogether confined to natives, for we remember meeting with one astute legal gentleman who invariably *under*-stamped any letter that he particularly wished to ensure the safe delivery of. The Post Office, he declared, take as much or more care of such a letter than if it was registered." Our contemporary thinks that this unpaid correspondence might be checked by the Post Office resorting to providing stamped embossed envelopes which might be of different sizes and values, and be provided at the cost of the stamps, or at a mere nominal charge. "There are already three descriptions—½ anna, 1 anna, and 4½ annas, but they are all of one size, and the two former are so small as to be practically valueless for commercial correspondence. It would be easy to have them of various sizes and values, and a great public convenience. Why, again, should we not have newspaper and parcel wrappers, with embossed stamps and gummed at one end?"

MR. WHITBREAD, M. P., has been seriously wounded while shooting in Scotland. It is stated that his son accidentally discharged a gun, and that the contents were lodged in Mr. Whitbread's forehead.

THE overthrow of the Ferry Cabinet as soon as the Chambers reassemble is expected, according to the *St. James's Gazette*, to be one of the results of the Chinese imbroglio. "Both the partisans of peace-at-any-price and those who advocate the colonial extension of France are dissatisfied with the manner in which the Tongking expedition has been conducted. Several interpellations in both Houses are already talked of. It is considered as good as certain that M. Challemel-Lacour will have to leave the Foreign Office, and that in any case M. Jules Ferry will have all his work to do to avert defeat. A Ministry with MM. de Freycinet and Léon Say is on the cards."

THE captain of the Italian barque Teresa Olevari, from Rangoon, which arrived in Cork harbour on Sept. 17, relates the following story:—"On the 7th ultimo an able seaman, named Antonio, made a desperate attack with a razor on the chief mate, who was asleep in his berth, and then upon the captain. As the blade of the razor was securely tied to the handle, Antonio, after a short struggle with Antonio, but the bullet lodged in the captain's leg. Antonio then rushed upon the chief mate, who, however, fired at him a second time, killing him upon the spot. The captain and the mate are still suffering from the injuries they received."

GREAT preparations are being made in Hamburg to celebrate the bicentenary of the birth of Handel. A musical festival will be given there, under the direction of Herr Bernuth, on the 5th, 6th, and 7th of June next, when several of the principal works of Handel and Beethoven will be performed.

A NOTE from the Russian Government received at Rome on Sept. 17 removed the obstacles previously existing to the appointment of a Russian Minister to the Holy See. A reply was to be sent to St. Petersburg immediately, in order to allow of the nomination of the Russian Envoy being made this month.

THE text of the judgment of the French Tribunal of Commerce against the directors of the Union Générale, the failure of which company brought ruin to many Clericals and Royalists, has not yet been published; but the Paris correspondent of the *Daily News* says that among the names of the defendants are the Prince de Broglie, son of the Duc de Broglie, M. Mayol de Lupe, of the defunct *Union*; M. Eugène Veuillot, of the *Univers*; and the noblemen MM. de Bontoux, de Raincourt, de Ranneville, D'Harcourt, de la Bouilevie, and de Circout, who, with some others, are jointly and severally declared liable to pay something like a million sterling to the creditors of the bubble concern. Some are able to pay their quota, but a great many are not, and by the terms of the judgment the solvent must pay for the insolvent. Unless relief should be gained in an appeal, it will go hard (the correspondent adds) with some of the stoutest pillars of the Throne and the Altar.

ACCORDING to a London correspondent, it is proposed to reduce the price of the *Times* from 3d. to 1d. per copy. "The change," remarks the correspondent, "will not come with much surprise to many who are connected with journalism. The only wonder is that it was not made sooner. Readers of the *Times* have been complaining a good deal lately. The great organ does not disclose so much ability as it used to do. The famous days of John Delane are gone, apparently not to be recalled."

AN epidemic of typhoid fever is raging in New York. There were two hundred and forty-four deaths from that malady during August, compared with ninety-six in the corresponding month of 1882. During the past eight months there were five hundred and forty deaths from typhoid, against four hundred and twenty-one in the first nine months of last year. The Board of Health of the city expected a further spread of the epidemic, and had issued an official address warning the public to use every precaution against the contagion.

THE following particulars of the discovery of a fever-trap in London are given in the *Lancet*:—

In the immediate neighbourhood of Pall-mall we recently visited the basement of a mansion belonging to a prominent member of the House of Peers, who had reason to suspect that the drainage was not in a satisfactory condition. On removing the floor it soon became apparent that the whole basement was honeycombed with elongated cesspools. A number of large brick drains ran in all directions, divided here and there, as a protection against sewer gas, by dip stone traps. These consisted of square holes about a yard deep and nearly as wide. In this case a flagstone with a finger-hole was placed down nearly to the bottom, thus forming a sort of syphon-tap; but considering that about a cubic yard of sewage had to accumulate in this receptacle before any could flow out of the trap, there was full time to deposit the heavier particles held in suspension, and the traps gradually became blocked with hard black sewage matter. The flow thus checked, the numerous brick drains, some two feet in diameter, also became choked up. They were full up to the top with black soil that threw up poisonous gases on being touched with a spade. Several cartloads of this foul accumulation had to be removed—and all this from the basement of one single house and its adjoining stables. The largest drain went direct into the sewer without trap or any sort of interception, and brought back the sewer gas to the servants' hall by means of an aperture under the floor, where a sink-pipe was improperly fitted into the drains. A branch drain under the kitchen-floor was leaking. In an ill-ventilated scullery, next to the kitchen, there was a sort of cesspool under the sink, two yards square and one deep, full of greasy, thick, and putrid deposit. The fall of the drain passing under the kitchen sink inclined in the wrong direction, so that the entire drains had to be filled before any liquid could get away into the sewer. In the larder there was another dip-stone trap, full of solid deposit that gave off dangerous effluvium through two ineffectual bell-traps covering the mouths of openings in the floor.

THE EDEN THEATRE.

THE large commodious theatre erected by Mr. Wilson, of Circus fame, on the Esplanade opposite the Boree-bunder Station, was opened under highly favourable auspices last evening. The building was filled to overflowing in every part. The first part of the entertainment consisted of exceedingly clever performances by Mdme. Emmeline Nicolo, who is described as the "charming illusionist and prestidigitateur." The principal attraction in the shape of the marvellous natatory feats of Lurline, whose fame has travelled to all parts of the world, was reserved for the finish. Lurline was frequently applauded, and at the close of her performance she received quite an ovation.

ADVICE TO MOTHERS:—Are you broken in your rest by a sick child suffering with the pain of cutting teeth? Go at once to a chemist and get a bottle of MRS. WINSLOW'S SOOTHING SYRUP. It will relieve the poor sufferer immediately. It is perfectly harmless and pleasant to the taste, it produces natural quiet sleep by relieving the child from pain, and the little cherub awakes "as bright as a button." It soothes the child, it softens the gums, allays all pain, relieves wind, regulates the bowels, and is the best known remedy for dysentery and diarrhœa, whether arising from teething or other causes. Mrs Winslow's Soothing Syrup is sold by Medicine dealers everywhere at 1s. 1½d. per bottle. Wholesale by the Anglo-American Drug Company, Limited, 46, Farringdon Road, London.

MILITARY NEWS.

COLONEL G. BRIGGS, Madras Staff Corps, Deputy Judge Advocate-General, has obtained 90 days' privilege leave.

RIDING MASTER F. SHEARINE, 12th Lancers, has been granted 9 months' subsidiary leave on medical certificate.

BRIGADE SURGEON HENRY KING and Veterinary Surgeon George Western have both retired from the Madras Army.

THE BANGALORE CAMP-OF-EXERCISE.

WE quote below an order by Sir F. Roberts, C.-in-C. of the Madras Army, detailing the Staff appointments in connection with the Bangalore Camp-of-Exercise:—

The following orders have been issued from Head-Quarters, Cootacamund, dated 12th Oct.:—

The distribution of the Force, to be assembled in the vicinity of Bangalore, on the 5th Jany., 1884, and appointments of staff thereto, are published for the information of all concerned:—

Medical officers will receive instructions from Surgn-Genl., H. M.'s Forces, regarding the dates on which they should arrive at Bangalore.

Staff officers to arrive at Bangalore not later than the 31st Dec. 1883.

H. E. Lieut.-Genl. Sir Frederick Roberts, Bart., V. C., G. C. B., C. I. E., C.-in-C., Madras Army.

Personal Staff.—Lieut.-Col. Pretyman, Mily. Secy.; Lieut. Neville Chamberlain, Aide-de-Camp; Capt. Hamilton, Aide-de-Camp; Lieut. Lord A. Compton, 10th (Prince of Wales' Own Royal) Hussars, Extra Aide-de-Camp; Lieut. F. L. Jones, Bengal C. Extra Aide-de-Camp; Subadar-Major Vurda-ajoo Bahadoor, Aide-de-Camp.

Head-quarters Staff:—Brig.-Genl. Godfrey Clerk, Adjt.-Genl.; Lieut.-Col. Faunce, Deputy Adjt.-Genl.; Col. Caine, Assist. Adjt. Genl., R. A.; Bgdr.-Genl. Stewart, Qrmr.-Genl.; Major McLeod, Deputy Qrmr.-Genl.; Capt. Henry R. E., Assist. Qrmr. Genl.; Lieut. Rivett-Carnac, Oxfordshire L. I., Deputy Assist. Qrmr. Genl.; Col. Andrews, R. H. A., Commanding R. A.; Capt. Wickham, R. H. A., Staff Officer; Lieut.-Col. Sim, R. E., Comg. R. E.; Capt. Wilkinson, R. E., Staff Officer; Surgn.-Genl. Madden, Principal Medical Officer; Lieut.-Col. Gunning, Actg. Deputy Comy.-Genl., Principal Commt. Officer; Major Beghie, Infantry Genl. List, Supt. of Signalling; Lieut. MacDonnell, R. E., Supt. of Telegraphs; Major Pigott, Essex Regt., Provost Marshal; Surg.-Major Martin, A. M. D., Medical Officer for Head-Quarters and for Sanitary duties.

ORDNANCE DEPARTMENT.

Capt. Kolaart, Rl. Arty., Commissary of Ordnance.

MEDICAL DEPARTMENT.

Deputy Surg.-Genl. Tarrant, in charge of Base.

In charge of Bearer Column.—Surg.-Major Sibthorpe, I. M. D.

Cavalry Brigade.—Surg.-Major Suffrein, I. M. D., in charge of Field Hospital; Surg. McLaughlin, A. M. D., doing duty Field Hospital; and Surg. Peers Adams, I. M. D., doing duty Field Hospital.

1st Division.—Brig.-Surg. Slaughter, A. M. D., Senior Medical Officer.

1st Brigade and Field Batteries.—Surgn.-Major Hunt, A. M. D., in charge of Field Hospital; Surgn. Kernan, I. M. D., doing duty Field Hospital; and Surgn. Kerin, A. M. D., doing duty Field Hospital.

2nd Brigade and Sappers and Miners.—Surgn.-Major McDermot, I. M. D., in charge of Field Hospital.

Surgn. Lyle, A. M. D., doing duty Field Hospital.

Surgn. Newland, I. M. D., doing duty Field Hospital.

2nd Division.—Surgn.-Major Eves, I. M. D., Senior Medical Officer.

1st Brigade and Field Batteries.—Surgn.-Major Pout, A. M. D., in charge of Field Hospital; Surgn. Macleau, A. M. D., in charge of Field Hospital; Surgn. R. S. Davies, I. M. D., doing duty Field Hospital.

2nd Brigade and Sappers and Miners.—Surgn.-Major Blenkinsop, A. M. D., in charge of Field Hospital; Surgn. Croly, A. M. D., doing duty Field Hospital; Surgn. Kelawala, I. M. D., doing duty Field Hospital.

COMMISSARIAT DEPARTMENT.

Supply Branch.

1st Division.—Major Clark Kennedy, Ag. Assist. Comy. Genl.; Lieut. Hutchins, Sub.-Assist. Comy.-Genl.

2nd Division.—Lieut. Sherard, Ag. Dy. Assist. Comy.-Genl.; Lieut. Mackintosh, Sub.-Assist. Comy.-Genl.

Supply and Accounts at Bangalore.

Lieut.-Col. McInroy, Assist. Comy.-Genl.

Transport Branch.

Director of Transport.—Lieut.-Col. Hayter, C.B., Assist. Comy.-Genl.

1st Division.—Major Hill, Depy. Assist. Comy.-Genl.; Lieut. MacMahon, Sub.-Assist. Comy.-Genl.; Lieut. King, 11th Hussars.

2nd Division.—Capt. Kelly, Depy. Assist. Comy.-Genl.; Capt. Anderson, 21th Regt. N. I.; Lieut. Currie, 20th Regt. N. I.

Base Transport Officer.—Capt. Wylly, Sub.-Assist. Comy.-Genl.

SIGNALLING STAFF.

Major Shelly, 22nd Regt. N. I.; Hill, Essex Regt.; Lieut. Le Marchand, Hampshire Regt.; Lieut. Smyth, R. Sapr. Miners; Lieut. Major, Oxfordshire, L. I.; and Lieut. Davidson, R. Scots Fusiliers.

UMPIRE IN CHIEF.

His Excellency the Commander-in-Chief; and Lieut.-Col. Bengough, Assist. Adjt.-Genl., Secretary.

Senior Umpires.—Major-Genl. Charles Keyes, K. C. B.; and "Bgdr.-Genl. J. J. H. Gordon, C. B.

Umpires.—Bgdr.-Genl. Rutherford Gough, V. C., K. C. B. "Col. Haldane, C. B., 28th Regt., "B.N.I.; Col. Arbuthnot, 3rd L. C.; Col. Woodward, R. H. A.; Col. Andrewes, R. H. A.; Col. Smith, Assist. Adjt.-Gen., R. I.; "Col. Marter, King's Dragoon Guards; "Col. Hughes, Dorsetshire Regt.; and Col. Winsloe, R. Scots Fusiliers.

Assistant Umpires.—Lieut.-Col. Bisco, 19th Bengal Lancers; Major Hammick, Oxfordshire, L. I.; "Major Covey, Durham, L. I.; and "Major Pearson, R. A.

CAVALRY BRIGADE.

Bgdr.-Genl. Sir Charles Gough, V. C., K. C. B., Comdg., Capt. Tuthill, 14th Hussars, Brigade Major; Capt. Yates, R. H. A., Dy. Assst. Qr.-Mr. Genl.; Lieut. Adye, 1st Cavalry, Hyderabad Cont., Orderly Officer; E-B R. H. A., 12th R. Lancers, 1st Lt. Cavalry.

1st Division.—Lieut.-Genl. W. Payn, C. B., Comdg.; Major Hope, 1st L. Cav., Asst. Adjt.-Genl.; Capt. Swanston, 7th Regt. N. I., Asst. Qr.-Mr. Genl.; and Major Tickell, Middlesex Regt., Depy. Asst. Qr.-Mr. Genl., Field Engr.; Major Daly, 21st Regt., L. N. Assist. Provost Marshal; and Lieut. Hume, R. A., Aide-de-Camp.

Field Batteries.—Col. Taylor, R. A., Comdg.; Lieut. Baker, R. H. A., Adjt., R. A.; and 2nd R. A.

Sappers and Miners.—Capt. Cockburn, R. E., Comdg., A and K Companies.

INFANTRY.

1st Brigade.—Bgdr.-Genl. Gib, C. B., Commanding; Major Money, Oxfordshire, L. I., Bdge.-Major; Lieut. Radcliff, 25th Regt., N. I., Orderly Officer; 2nd Battn. Middlesex Regt., 6th Regt. N. I., and 2nd Battn. 4th Regt. N. I.

2nd Brigade.—Col. Brett, Oxfordshire, L. I., Commanding; Major Clerk, Infty. Genl. List, Bde.-Major, Orderly Officer; 2nd Battn. South Wales Borderers, 11th Regt. N. I., and 15th Regt., N. I.

2nd Division.—Major-Genl. Prende-gast, V.C., C.B., Commanding; Lieut.-Col. Morton, 11th Hussars, Assist. Adjt.-Genl.; Lieut.-Col. Gatacre, Middlesex Regt., Assist. Qr.-mr.-Genl.; Major Hamilton, Infy. Genl. List, Deputy Assist. Qr.-mr.-Genl.; Field Engineer, Capt. Walker, 19th Regt., N. I., Asst. Provost Marshal: Lieut. Donald, Royal Horse Artillery, Aide-de-Camp.

Field Batteries.—Lieut.-Col. Rawlins, R.A., Commanding; Lieut. Anderson, M-B R.H.A., Adjt., M-2 R.A., and 1-I R.A.

Sappers and Miners.—Lieut.-Col. Hamilton, R.E., Commanding F and I Companies

Infantry.

1st Brigade.—Bgdr.-Genl. Collins, C.B., Commanding; Major Wratislaw, 22nd Regt., N.I., Bgde. Major; Orderly Officer, 2nd Battn Rl. Fusiliers, 12th Regt., N.I., and 27th Regt., N.I.

2nd Brigade.—Col. Dixon, 8th Regt., N.I., Commanding; Capt. Banister, South Wales Borderers, Bgde.-Major; Lieut. Howe, 5th Regt., N.I. Orderly Officer; 1st Battn. Oxfordshire, L.I., 4th Pioneers and 14th Regt., N.I.

By order of H. E. the C.-in-C.

E. FAUNCE, Lieut.-Col.,
Depy. Adjut.-Genl., for Adjut.-Genl.

TELEGRAPHIC WEATHER REPORTS.

SIMLA, Oct. 13.—The pressure is giving way over the south of the Peninsula and Burma, but is still increasing elsewhere. The readings are highest in Assam, relatively high over the whole of Northern India, and lowest on the west and south-west coast, showing an almost complete reversal of the distribution which recently prevailed. The wind is variable in direction generally, but especially in the south. Round the north and west shores of the Bay, and in the extreme south, rain has fallen, the amounts in some places being large. The temperature changes are irregular, but a rapid fall is reported from Orissa and Gunjam. The readings are above normal over Northern India. The shade maxima yesterday were 101° at Jacobabad, 100° at Rajputana, and 99° at Delhi and Agra. Rain to-day:—Gopalpore, 3 inches; False Point, 2 inches; Chittagong, Neemuch, Poona, Salem, Cochin, and Colombo, ½ inch. Previously, Calicut had 5 inches; Cuddapah, 1 inch; Nowgong, Satara, and Nellore, ½ inch.

Oct. 14.—The barometer still falls in Burma but the decrease has ceased in the south of the Peninsula and the pressure is now increasing over the whole of India. The readings are highest in the Punjab and lowest in Mysore, and small barometric depressions are still shown in the extreme south. The wind is generally easterly, and light in force, except at Bombay and Poona, where it blows freshly. The weather is clear in North Western India, and cloudy elsewhere. Rather heavy rain has fallen at Madras and Gunjam. The stations where the fall is heaviest are Madras and Vizagapatam. The air is much drier in Bengal and Burma. Rain to-day:—Madras and Vizagapatam, 3 inches; Masulipatam and Mercara, 1 inch; Calcutta and Colombo, ½ inch. Previously, Rajahmundry had ½ inch.

ADJOURNMENT OF THE CORPORATION.

THE meeting of the Municipal Corporation which was to take place yesterday afternoon, for the consideration of the reports made with reference to the proposed extension of local self-government, was adjourned for want of a quorum. At the hour appointed for commencing business only a solitary member was to be seen in the hall, and when the Chairman, Mr. R. N. Khote, appeared a few minutes later the gentleman who had arrived first expressed to him his opinion against holding the meeting in the hot weather. The Chairman, after waiting for the fifteen minutes' grace allowed for the assembling of members, said that he saw no likelihood of having a quorum, even if he were to wait for a few minutes more, he would adjourn the meeting till Thursday afternoon. We give below the names of the members who were present:—The Chairman, Mr. D'Aguiar, Dr. Blaney, Mr. B. N. Serval, Dr. Cowasjee Hormusjee, Messrs. Dinanath R. Khote, Grattan Geary, D. Gostling, Mr. Tyder Shaik Cassim, Messrs. Javerilal Umiashankar, K. N. Kabrajee, K. T. Telang, D. S. Kemp, K. N. Servai, Col. Merewether, Messrs. Mirza Hoosein, M. Mowat, N. Byramjee Jeejeebhoy, Nowrojee Fuidoonji, and P. M. Mehta.

The following are the names of the absentees:—Messrs. Abdul Rahiman Mini, Anundrao N. Vasudeo, Wilson Bell, Bhaishunkar Nanabhoy, Dr. Blanc, Mr. Bomonjee Pestonjee Master, the Hon'ble Budroodin Tyabjee, Mr. Dadabhoy Nowrojee, Dr. DeSouza, Messrs. Dinshaw Manockjee Petit, Dosabhoy Framjee, J. R. Duxbury, Dwarkadas Lulloobhoy, Fazulbhoy Visram, E. M. Freeborn, Goculdas Jugjeevandas, J. H. Grant, Hirjee Ardaseer Dady, Homejee Cursetjee Dady, Hurkissondas Narrotumdas, the Hon'ble Sir Jamsetjee Jejeebhoy, Messrs. Jamshedjee Pallonjee Kapadia, Jeomabhoy Lalljee, Karsandas Vallabdas, J. Maclarlane, Capt. Morland, Messrs. Mulji Bhawanidas Barbhai Muncherjee Cowasjee Murzban, Muncherjee Nowrojee Banajee, P. Peterson, Major Portman, Messrs. Rahimtulla Mahomed Sayani, Shantaram Narayen, Shivjee Dhurmajee, Sir Frank Souter, Messrs. J. Thorburn, Tribhowandas Munguldas Nuthoobhoy, Tribhowandas Vurjeewandas, C. A. Turner, E. F. Underwood, Vundrawundas Purshotumdas, Venayekrao Ranchunder [illegible] Manjee, and the Hon'ble Rao Saheb V. N. Mandlik.

THE CALCUTTA EXHIBITION.

LIVELY MEETING OF THE BOMBAY COMMITTEE.

A MEETING of the General Committee nominated by Government for the purpose of ensuring an adequate representation of the products of the Bombay Presidency at the Calcutta International Exhibition, was held last evening in the rooms of the Chamber of Commerce (Graham's Buildings). Mr. Thorburn presided, and there was a large attendance of members.

Mr. Gordon, the Honorary Secretary, having read the notice convening the meeting, the minutes of the proceedings of the last meeting of the committee, held on the 28th July, were taken as read.

The Chairman then said that one of the objects for which the present meeting had been called was, as they had no doubt seen from the newspapers, to give Mr. Arthur Crawford an opportunity of substantiating the charges he had thought fit to make against him at a recent meeting of the Sub-Committee. Those charges he had felt to be extremely offensive to himself personally as chairman of the Sub-Committee. He would like, in the first place, to ask Mr. Crawford if he admitted the substantial accuracy of the charges as they had appeared in the papers that morning.

Mr. Crawford (after perusing the letter addressed to Government by Mr. Gordon, and which has already been published).—I only arrived in Bombay late last night, and perhaps I may be excused for correcting these words which are not mine. The first what I may call accusation is:—"That he had thrown cold water on the Exhibition."——

Mr. Tyrrel Leith.—Will Mr. Crawford speak louder?

Mr. Crawford.—I shall be very glad to oblige. (A laugh.) The first accusation is:—"That he had thrown cold water on the Exhibition from the very outset by saying, at a general meeting of the Committee, that he did not think large subscriptions were necessary." I said that, and I intend to maintain it.

The Chairman.—That settles that point.

Mr. Crawford.—The second accusation I did not make. It is:—"That he had throughout discouraged and hindered, instead of promoting and furthering, the objects for which he had been appointed President of the Committee. I did not say that. What I did say was this:—"That the effect of these words had been to discourage rather than promote the objects for which you have been appointed president of the Committee." This I am prepared to maintain.

The Chairman.—I am not prepared to accept that version of what you said, and I will take the sense of the meeting upon it. You did not join the two in things that way. The two things were separate.

Mr. Crawford.—I entirely decline to discuss this. The Chairman.—I shall ask the meeting whether they consider this is a fair statement of what Mr. Crawford did say. I shall read the allegation, and ask the Sub-Committee to say whether it is not substantially correct.

Mr. Crawford.—Put mine also to the meeting.

The Chairman.—I will.

Mr. Crawford.—Put the two statements together.

The Chairman.—All right. I will read out what I stated to be the substance of Mr. Crawford's statement, and I shall also read out what he now says.

Having read the two statements, the Chairman said that he now handed it to the Committee to say whether he or I is correct. Will the members of the Committee say whether they consider mine or Mr. Crawford's statement to be the correct version of what he did say?

Mr Tyrrel Leith.—It is only a matter of impression. My impression certainly was that the words which you have read out as conveying what had taken place were what Mr. Crawford had stated.

The Chairman.—Thank you. Will any other member of the Sub-Committee confirm either Mr. Crawford or myself?

Mr. K. C. Bedarkar remarked that it was his impression that the Chairman's was the correct version of what Mr. Crawford had said. He added that if he were put on oath he could not swear that the words, as given by the Chairman, were used by Mr. Crawford. But he thought the Chairman's version was substantially correct. At least, that was his impression.

Mr. Javerilal said he was at some distance from Mr. Crawford when he spoke the words attributed to him. But the impression conveyed upon his mind was that Mr. Crawford did use words to the effect that the Chairman had hindered the work of the Committee.

The Chairman.—Am I to understand that you say that what is put down here is substantially correct, or what Mr. Crawford said?

Mr. Javerilal.—My impression is that it is substantially correct.

The Chairman.—What I have put down?

Mr. Javerilal.—Yes.

Mr. Wimbridge said that his impression was that Mr. Crawford's version was substantially correct.

Mr. Tyrrel Leith.—I certainly thought it was a very grave reflection to make upon the President, and I thought it would be his duty to answer the charge. I was under that impression. Of course, Mr. Crawford says now he does not mean it. I was under the impression that it was as serious a charge as it has been understood to be.

The Chairman.—Then, Mr. Wimbridge, do you say that Mr. Crawford's version is the correct one?

Mr. Wimbridge.—That is the impression I received. The exact words I don't remember.

The Chairman said that another member of the Committee, who was present when the speech was made, and I am the person responsible for my words, and I am the person who knows what I said—at any rate, what I meant to say. It is not only the practice of the House of Commons, but of every public meeting, that if a statement is called into question the person who made the statement is asked to state what was the meaning he meant to convey.

The Chairman.—I do not say that these are your exact words, but that this is the substance of what you did say. You yourself admitted just now that you spoke in great heat.

Mr. Crawford.—I am not here to be reproved by you.

The Chairman.—I am not reproving you in any way.

Mr. Crawford.—I say that this is not at all the proper way to deal with the matter. You ask me to state whether what I said was so and so, and I tell you what my impression is. You are now trying to fix or tie me down by a side wind, in a most unfair way, and in a way which is calculated to impugn my veracity. I will not tolerate that from you or anybody else, sir.

The Chairman.—Very well, sir. I repeat you admitted having spoken with great heat. As to the members of the Committee who were present on the last occasion, you may assert, if you choose, that they spoke with great heat.

Mr. Crawford.—I never said so.

The Chairman.—I say that you can assert it, if you choose.

Mr. Crawford.—But I did not say so.

The Chairman.—I do not say you did assert it, but I say you may do so, if you like. I deliberately say that I will leave the public to judge what the charges were, as they might appear from the impressions of the gentlemen present at the meeting. The third charge, gentlemen, is this:—"That if this Presidency was not properly represented at the Exhibition, he (the chairman), and nobody else, was to blame, and would be held responsible for the failure." Mr. Crawford alters the wording by saying "principally and personally" in place of "and nobody else." I am sorry to have to take the sense of the members on this point again. I am not anxious to make any remarks before you unless it is necessary to do so; and I shall, therefore, first ask the members who were present at the last meeting whether this is practically a substantial statement of what Mr. Crawford said, or whether Mr. Crawford's version is the correct one.

Mr. Wimbridge.—I think what Mr. Crawford said was that the Chairman was directly responsible.

The Chairman may I have the opinion of any other gentleman on the point?

Mr. Leith.—I must say that up to the present moment I was under the impression that it was [illegible] most certainly a charge brought against [illegible] pre[illegible]

[illegible] time that the [illegible] the Sub-Comm[illegible] have said someth[illegible] when it was made [illegible] charge was not lim[illegible] we must, no doubt, [illegible] same time, I have mentione[illegible] was.

Mr. Crawford.—"Directly" w[illegible]

The Chairman.—Does any other [illegible] Committee choose to give his opinion [illegible] It is not of any vital importance; but [illegible] able to arrive at as correct a conclusion as [illegible] If no other member wishes to speak I sha[illegible] on to the fourth head, which is this:—"[illegible] this was not only his (Mr. Crawford's) opinion, bu[illeg

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TO-MORROW, WEDNESDAY, the 17th inst., at 2 p.m., Messrs. MENESSE & Co. will sell by public auction at Carnac Bunder, on account of the concerned—
Ex s. s. "Clan Ronald."
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On THURSDAY, the 18th instant, Messrs. MENESSE & Co. will hold their usual weekly Auction Sale at their rooms, of a quantity of grey and coloured piece-goods, twist, &c., &c.

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10 ,, pink prints.
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AUCTION SALE OF BLASTING FUSE.

On SATURDAY, the 20th instant, at 3 p.m., Messrs. MENESSE and Co. will sell by public auction at their rooms, on account of the concerned—
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A quantity of grain and cotton sweepings, waste papers, 1 large iron coffee mill, &c., &c.

AUCTION SALE OF STEAM-BOILERS.

TO-MORROW, WEDNESDAY, the 17th inst., at 3 p.m., Messrs. BENNETT & Co. will, under instructions from the agents, sell by public auction at the Sassoon Spinning and Weaving Company, Limited, six cylindrical steam boilers, thirty feet long and seven feet in diameter, Galloway's patent flue tubes, with all the necessary mountings, as they stand at present, by Messrs. Richard Walker and Brothers, Bury.

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A deposit of 50 per cent. will be required at the time of sale.

On SATURDAY, the 20th inst., at 1 p.m., Messrs. BENNETT & Co. are instructed to sell by Public Auction, at Malabar Hill, the valuable and handsome French-polished blackwood and teakwood plain and carved household furniture, best electro-plated ware, very rich crockery and glass ware, very handsome large fish-pond with fish on stand, handsome large aviary with valuable and rare birds, first-rate pictures and oleographs, rich table ornaments, real china vases and card trays, and table ornaments, a handsome strong victoria with removable coach-box, handsome powerful black Australian mare, a handsome grey Arab horse, one handsome English-built strong dogcart, one handsome strong grey Arab horse, goes in single and double harness, and also in saddle, very quiet, sets of plated and brass single harness, garden pots, &c. &c., the property of W. MORRIS, Esq.

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On WEDNESAY, the 24th instant, at 1 p.m., Messrs. BENNETT & Co. are instructed to sell by Public Auction, at Meadow Street, in the old "Bombay Gazette" office, Fort, the valuable and handsome blackwood and teakwood French-polished and richly carved household furniture, plate glass and other mirrors, rich crockery and glass ware, a handsome mahogany semi-grand piano by William Stoddart and Son, London, first-rate pictures and oleographs, rich table ornaments, &c., &c., the property of MRS. A. L. MACKENZIE.

Full particulars will be given hereafter.

The day to be fixed hereafter, Messrs. BENNETT and Co. will sell by Public Auction at No. 12, Apollo-street. Fort, several large consignments of English, German, French and American goods, consisting of plated and glass ware, English carpets of sizes, cabinet ware, kerosine, table, vase, and hanging lamps, porcelain ware, hurricane lamps, cotton wicks, chimneys, and miscellaneous articles, &c., &c., by order of Muncherjee Pallonjee Writer, Esq.

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AN ICE FAMINE IN CALCUTTA.—Both of the local Ice Companies apparently came to grief on Wednesday afternoon, and as the evening was particularly close and hot, unpleasant remarks were doubtless passed on the management at many dinner tables. On Friday ice was obtainable in limited quantities during the forenoon. We think the Ice Companies might give the public notice when the supply is likely to fail short, as a greater economy would then be exercised in the consumption.—*Indian Daily News.*

DESTRUCTIVE FIRE.—A very destructive fire broke out on Friday morning in a number of huts occupied by tradespeople and others opposite the Hooghly Bridge. The fire originated in a *kutcha* godown where were stored about 500 barrels of tar, some tins of red and white lead, and a quantity of rope and thatching materials. It is supposed that early on Wednesday morning, when the blacksmiths were at their anvils beating out some red-hot iron, a spark must have fallen into one of the barrels of tar or on the bundles of rope, and the whole blazed up instantly. The fire extended from the Strand Road to the road abutting on to Clive Street, and on a rough calculation about 20 houses, both *pucka* and *kutcha*, and property to a very large extent, were destroyed. The damage done is estimated at nearly a lakh of rupees.—*Indian Daily News.*

PREPARATIONS FOR THE EXHIBITION.

THE barracks now in course of erection by the Government of Bengal for the accommodation of visitors to the forthcoming Exhibition, are located on the Maidan opposite the Cathedral. They cover an area of ground of about 300 feet long by 240 feet broad. They are traversed, broadthways, by three public streets, which divide the whole into three … barracks, two of which, viz., those at the … end and in the centre, will be set apart … bachelor visitors, whilst those at the south … will be for the accommodation of families and … visitors with their families. Each of these … barracks is traversed by narrow lanes, … sub-divide them into three separate ranges … stages. In the bachelors' quarters, each of … cottages contains one larger room 14 feet … by 12 feet broad and 15 feet long, and lighted … window, and a smaller room for a bath-room. … married quarter, the cottages contain two … and two bath-rooms. A verandah runs along the whole length of the separate ranges of cottages. The walls of the cottages are composed of bamboo and mud, which, when furnished, will be whitewashed. It is not yet decided how they will be floored. They are thatched with paddy straw, with durmah-mats above and below. The depth of the thatch is about 4 inches. Each separate range consists of twenty-two cottages; each of the separate barracks will have its dining, reading and billiard-rooms, which will be floored with cement. There will be cook-rooms, constructed of corrugated iron, at the north and south end of the barracks. The streets and lanes will at night be lighted with the electric light. The whole of the barracks will accommodate from 350 to 400 people.—*Indian Daily News.*

THE CALCUTTA HOME FOR INEBRIATES.

MISS MARY E. LESLIE writes to the *Statesman* :—
"Sir,—Several letters have appeared lately about the Home for Inebriates, and I think, in order to prevent any misstatements through want of knowledge, that I had better write a few lines, and mention the rule for attendance at a place of worship, and the reasons. The inmates were, from the beginning, required to attend at Dr. Thoburn's church on Sundays and on Thursday evenings. I had two reasons for making this rule. My first reason was that, by means of this rule, I ensured their attendance at a place of worship. Attending at Dr. Thoburn's church myself, I could see if the men were present. Had I left them to go where they pleased, I should not have been sure of their going anywhere. My second reason was this: I thought, as the Methodist Church was the only totally abstaining … in Calcutta, the words spoken by its … would have more weight with those who … the victims of drink. I considered these … and I do not see that anyone … to find fault with them. We had … and evening in the home, and … these was compulsory. When … were admitted into the home, I … ; indeed they were written … hung up in the dining-room. … Catholic, I told him it was a … and if he did not approve … enter. Roman Catholics … institutions, and I have … ded in having them. … no Roman Catholic … begin Mary spoken … in the church of … great regret … of this month … gly allowed … and when … anticipate, but … at a … not … or

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…ndia, at Kila Wamar, which is in Roshan; returning for the summer to Bar Panja in Shignan. Kila Wamar is reported to be a flourishing place; the fort being about as large as that at Bar-Panja.—*Civil and Military Gazette.*

SHIGNAN is famous, amongst other things, for its beautiful women: Shigni women used to be sent as tribute by the Mirs to their feudal lords, the Afghan rulers of Badakshan. The Shignis are Shiah Musulmans. The Mir of Shignan rules also over Roshan; but he pays, every year, as tribute to Badakhshan, four horses, and the iron required for working the mines in Gharan. Colonel Gordon, however, who accompanied the Forsyth mission to Yarkand, describes Roshan and Shignan as practically independent. About thirteen years ago, the Ameer of Kabul, Shere Ali, threatened to depose the Mir, Yusuf Ali Beg, and to appoint an Afghan Governor in his stead. He had … aid to Jehandar Shah, the … ghan …

…ide, and in the … of chest. This was evidently caused by the following injuries. A penetrating wound in the upper half of the vagina, three-quarters of an inch in diameter; two perforations of the mesentery, at the end of the small intestine; two wounds of the coats of the small intestine itself. There were also two or three ecchymosed spots at the commencement of the small intestines, three lacerations on the under surface of the liver, of from a half to one inch long; two or three penetrating wounds of the diaphragm, in one of which a piece of stick (rattan) 1½ long and quarter inch broad was found. Three small wounds in the right lung, two in the upper, and one in the middle lobe. There were two superficial wounds under the collar-bone, dividing the pleura, about three-quarters of an inch long. These injuries were evidently caused by the repeated and forcible introduction of a stick through the vagina upwards, and the medical opinion is that death was caused by this means and the consequent hemorrage. The adjourned inquest was held this morning at 8 o'clock. Pensioned Sergeant Harper, with whom the deceased lived, deposed that the woman left his house at about 8 p.m. on Wednesday night to purchase some curry. The woman was of intemperate habits, but was perfectly sober on the night in question. He knew nothing of the occurrence until the next morning when he was called upon to indentify the body at the Dowring Hospital. Head Constable Dore had seen the body on the ground where it was discovered by the native policeman. There were no visible marks of any struggle about the spot. The night was dark, and there had been heavy rain. The jury returned a verdict of wilful murder against some person or persons unknown.—*Bangalore Spectator.*

FURTHER particulars regarding the death of the ill-fated woman, Maria Burbidge, disclose a tale of horror which strikes us as being unparalleled in the history of crime. That such a diabolical murder should be committed in the very heart of the Cantonment, and that the murderers should yet remain at large, are facts that cannot be contemplated with philosophic equanimity. The police at first endeavoured to make out that the unfortunate woman had died of an epileptic fit, but the *post-mortem* examination held by Mr. F. B. Pereira, Resident Surgeon of the Bowring Civil Hospital, shows beyond the shadow of a doubt that Maria Burbidge has been murdered in an exceedingly outrageous manner. From the evidence elicited before the Coroner's court, it will be perceived that there must have been more persons than one concerned in the crime, and the police will fail scandalously in their duty if they do not succeed in tracing the miscreants, and bringing the crime home to them. That Maria Burbidge was murdered by natives seems evident from the manner in which the murderers put an end to her life—the mode being, as the coroner remarked, peculiarly Asiatic. Maria Burbidge was a hale and hearty woman, and had been living with a European pensioner named Harper. The man Harper does not appear to have known of her death till her corpse was removed to the mortuary in the Bowring Civil Hospital. She was buried this morning in a pauper's grave in St. John's Cemetery, the last rites of the Church being performed by the Rev. Mr. Pope. The singularly atrocious nature of this murder, and our want of faith in the detective abilities of the local police, lead us to suggest that a reward should be offered for the apprehension of the murderers, who are not likely to be brought to justice if they are left to be tracked by so incompetent a body as the Bangalore Police.—*Bangalore Post.*

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